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PARTNER WANTED—WILL THE YOUNG man, who wished to engage in the drug business, North Wellsst., call again as early as convenient, this same place?

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FURNITURE AND LEASE OF BOARDING-HOUSE for sale cheap in one of the best locations for a good paying boarding-house. Apply at 159 La Salle-st.

FIRST-CLASS SALOON, CIGAR STORE, AND lunch counter for sale; everything complete; a first-class business location. Apply at 168 East Lake-st., Fifth-av.

WANTED—250 MEN TO WORK ON THE CHICAGO & Northwestern Railroad. Wages, $2.25 per day. Must leave this evening, same train. No charges in office. Apply to A. ANDREWS & CO., 25 West Washington-st.

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RESIDENCE LOTS

AT AUCTION,

On Monday, Oct. 28, at 2 o'clock p. m.,

AT THE NEW OFFICE,

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These lots are located at the corner of Cottage Grove-av. and Sixty-seventh-st., Hyde Park, midway between the

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Without Reserve.

Terms only $50 cash, $100 in 6 months, balance one year, with 8 per cent interest. Abstracts furnished.

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RESIDENCE LOTS

AND

HANDSOME DWELLINGS

AT

HIGHLAND PARK,

ON SATURDAY, OCT. 26, 187[illegible]

ON THE GROUNDS.

The Highland Park Building Company have determined to disperse about 150 more of their beautiful lots. These lots are located near the Highland Park depot. Also, they will sell the Hotel and grounds adjoining.

A special train of cars will leave the Milwaukee depot, corner of Kinzie and Canal-st., at 10:30 a. m. Tickets can be procured on the ground, or at the office.

TERMS.—One-half cash, balance 1, 2, and 3 years, with interest at 8 per cent. By order of the Highland Park Building Company.

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Valuable North Side Property

Five Handsome Houses and Elegant Lots 24x124,

AT AUCTION

On Tuesday, Oct. 29, at 2 o'clock p. m.,

ON THE PREMISES.

These Houses front south on Wisconsin-st., being Nos. 122, 124, 438, 440, 442, & 444, between Lincoln-av. and Hurlbut-st., nearly new and most desirable.

Also, 3 vacant Lots, fronting on Wisconsin-st.

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Bronze Clocks and Statuary,

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This evening and each evening during the week, at

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AT AUCTION,

On WEDNESDAY Morning, Oct. 30, at 9½ o'clock, at our sales-rooms, 55 and 57 Market-st.

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CLOTHING,

Shirts & Drawers, Boots & Shoes,

AT AUCTION,

On Thursday Morning, Oct. 24, at 9 o'clock,

AT OUR SALESROOMS,

85 & 87 MARKET-ST.

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Handsomely Mounted,

One Hundred Stand of Arms,

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New and in First-class Order,

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On FRIDAY MORNING, Oct. 25, at 9 o'clock, at our Salesrooms, 55 and 57 Market-st., FOUR TWELVE POUNDERS, FOUR SIX POUNDERS, WITH ALL THE APPOINTMENTS READY FOR IMMEDIATE USE.

The Cannons and Carriages will be sold separately or together. The Carriages are in very little expense, would make very handsome one horse wagons. This is a fine opportunity for country towns to buy a Cannon for the 4th of July, &c.; also, a splendid chance for the German and Irish friends that are forming companies of infantry in our city, to procure a complete outfit at less than one-half of the original cost.

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REAL ESTATE.

THE MOST ATTRACTIVE SALE OF THE YEAR.

Beautiful Grove Lots,

EACH 50 FEET FRONT,

AT AUCTION

ON THE GROUNDS,

OF WASHINGTON HEIGHTS

ON SATURDAY, Oct. 26, 1872, AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.,

BY C. D. THAYER & CO.,

Real Estate Auctioneers and Brokers.

These lots are in the Vincennes Road Subdivision, being Lots 6 and 7 in Block 2, in the subdivision of the southeast ¼ of Section 19, Township 37, north of range 14. They are finely located, adjoining the Washington Park on the east, and having a half-block fronting on both sides of the Vincennes road. From the high ground on the southwest line of this property, Vincennes road runs through a beautiful grove, and on a gradual descent, making it exceedingly attractive for homes. The facilities for reaching the property could be more desirable. The facilities for reaching the property are excellent, and cannot be surpassed. The Rock Island & Pacific Railroad passes through the northeast corner of the subdivision, at which point will be built, and the Washington Heights station. The Illinois Central Railroad runs along the west line of the property, and is in close proximity with Vincennes road and Sharpshooter-st., at which a flagstop is being built. With two depots on the property, the advantages and facilities are unsurpassed. The immediate vicinity of this subdivision is rapidly going on; quite a number of fine residences and cottages are being erected. An extensive subdivision, upon an extensive scale, is progressing on the property northeast of this subdivision, and we have assurances that it will be a success. In point for beauty of location, attractiveness, and convenience, the Vincennes Road Subdivision is not surpassed.

Parties interested in possessing pleasant suburban homes, with beautiful groves and delightful surroundings, with the dust and noise of a busy city, attend this sale. Title to property perfect. Abstract of title furnished.

Terms of sale, one-fourth cash, balance in one, two, and three years, with interest at 8 per cent. A deposit of $100 will be required on the day of sale, and the balance of the first payment within 30 days.

A free train will leave the depot of the Rock Island & Pacific Railroad, corner of Canal-st., at 10 a. m., and return after sale.

A free lunch will be served on the ground.

Parties desiring, for a pleasant ride to this charming locality, will prove beneficial to the health, and a liberal investment in lots decidedly so to the pocket.

Plans of the property can be obtained at the office of the

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An exhibition of the new Eastern system of "Sprinklers," or Perforated Pipes, for the instantaneous extinction of fires, will be given at Brown Brothers' Works, northwest corner of South Water and West Jackson-sts., on Thursday afternoon, Oct. 24, at 3 o'clock sharp.

All interested are invited to attend.

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POLITICAL.

How Grant's Inspectors Propose to Carry New York City.

Grand Exodus of Clerical Voters From Washington.

Liberal Demonstrations in Belleville and Rockford.

A Venomous Lie Nailed.

HOW THE ELECTION COMMISSIONERS WILL DO IT IN NEW YORK.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Commissioner Davenport, of New York, was an aid under General Butler, in New Orleans. As to the comments of the New York press on his conduct, he remarked, in the presence of numerous bystanders, in his office, yesterday: "I am independent of them. I shall carry out the enforcement of the law to the letter." In a corner of Davenport's office there is a telegraphic instrument, which communicates with his house, and also with the headquarters of the Custom House Republican Committee in the Fifth Avenue Hotel. This instrument, it is said, is to be used by Davenport in ordering arrests of obnoxious citizens before, and on the day of, election. Blank warrants bearing Davenport's signature will be in readiness in every district, and it will only be necessary to write in the names of parties who are to be taken into custody.

A telegraphic instrument has also been placed in the Grand Jury room, at the disposal of Colonel Desanges, Chief Deputy Marshal, who is to have, next to General Sharpe, complete charge of the polls on the day of election.

Davenport has assured his Republican friends that he will so administer his office as to reduce the vote of this city to 120,000, in which case he calculates there will be a majority of 5,000 for Grant. The Grant frauds in Philadelphia are to be cast in the shade by the Grant frauds in this city, which gave Seymour in 1868 60,000.

GRAND LIBERAL DEMONSTRATION AT BELLEVILLE.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

BELLEVILLE, Ill., Oct. 23.—The grand rally of the campaign was had here by the Liberals today and this evening. People came in from all parts of the country, and were addressed this afternoon by Senator Trumbull and Judge Eustace, in Turner's Hall, which was crowded to suffocation. The Senator spoke to the citizens of his home in early manhood with much feeling, and was very effective. Judge Eustace made a most telling address, driving the Democratic horse with almost every sentence, and producing intense enthusiasm.

This evening the town has been absolutely wild with excitement. The pyrotechnic display was truly magnificent. For a time the rockets, Roman candles, and blue lights made the scene bright as day. The air seemed filled with falling stars, and thousands of people were gathered on the streets, all partaking of the general joy, rendering the scene if possible more brilliant, was the grandest torch-light procession that has ever marched in Southern Illinois. A large processions were formed in each ward and marched towards the Court House square, which was dazzling to behold, as were all the streets leading from it for the distance of several squares. It was nearly impossible to get through the crowd, which was cheering vociferously for Greeley, Brown, Koerner, Trumbull, Eustace, and other Liberal leaders. No pen can picture the vast enthusiastic assemblage of men, women, and children to-night, crowding the streets of the home of Koerner. The vast multitude were eloquently addressed by the next Vice President, Hon. B. Gratz Brown, from the Court House steps. He was followed in a telling speech by Hon. Casper Butz, who evidently produces a deep impression. St. Clair County is alive to the momentous issues of the hour, and will prove the thoughtful intelligence of her citizens by giving the largest Liberal gain in November of any county in Illinois.

THE DEPARTMENT CLERKS ABANDONING BUSINESS FOR POLITICS.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—From this time until the week after the Presidential election the public business in Washington will be left to take care of itself. Every Grant voter, from the head of a Department or Bureau down to the poorest messenger, is required to be on hand, and the exit from the city has already begun. All the clerks in the departments have been already paid for the month of October, six or eight days in advance of the usual time, and, by the last of next week, if the exit continues, there will not be officers enough in the city to attend to the current business of the Government.

The report telegraphed from this city to the New York *Evening Post*, that Hon. John D. Defrees conceades the election of Grant, is emphatically denied by that gentleman, who says he believes that it only requires courage and effort to elect Mr. Greeley, and that he will be elected.

The Administration is still sending stumpers down into North Carolina, not feeling altogether assured of that State. John A. Bingham, who is now in the city, will leave for that State to-morrow, in company with Allen Rutherford, the Third Auditor.

LIBERAL MOVEMENT IN ROCKFORD.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

ROCKFORD, Ill., Oct. 23.—General Farnsworth addressed a large and enthusiastic audience in Brown's Hall to-night. His speech was one of the most stirring of the campaign. He defied any Grant man present to answer his clinching arguments, and fearlessly exposed the corruption that is undermining the whole Administration. The cheers at the mention of the names of Horace Greeley, Charles Sumner, Lyman Trumbull, and Carl Schurz were deafening, and demonstrated clearly the state of public sentiment.

The manner in which the speaker defended his character against the vile calumnies that have been circulated about him, was well received by the audience, and their whole sympathy seemed to go with him. At 11 o'clock he closed his speech, which was listened to throughout with the most profound attention. The reception of General Farnsworth in Rockford was more enthusiastic than that of any speaker during the campaign.

The Liberal element is gaining ground every day in Rockford, and that, too, in the very teeth of the dark ways used by the opposition party to get votes.

THE LIBERALS AT SPRINGFIELD, ILL.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 23.—The Liberal Democratic Central Committee for this County met in this city to-day, and every township was represented, and the utmost harmony prevailed. Views were interchanged, and established the fact that, so far as this county was concerned, there was a determination to bring out every vote to be cast for Greeley and Brown. There are no Bourbons, and but few persons reluctant to vote the Liberal ticket in the Democratic party. There is no hope for Jo. Ledlie, as he is badly complicated with the Grant managers here to act independently. It is believed that his will be the only ticket cast for O'Connor and Adams in the county.

LIBERAL MEETING AT EFFINGHAM.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

EFFINGHAM, Ill., Oct. 23.—General Black addressed the citizens of this county at the Court House this evening. His audience was largely composed of farmers from the various townships in the county who are here attending the fair. The General's address was well received throughout, and has done much to stir up the friends of reform in this county. The Germans here are solid for Greeley and the State ticket.

The Hon. J. N. Gwinn, candidate for Elector, B. F. Kagy, Wm. Gilmore, S. F. Gilmore, and others, are making a vigorous canvass and doing good work. Effingham County is good for a handsome Liberal majority in November.

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OPINION ON NEW YORK POLITICS.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 23.—Attorney General Williams, after his return from his canvass in the interior of New York, expressed the belief that it was not possible for Greeley to carry that State, as the party managers in the various districts since the October elections had abandoned all hope of electing Greeley, and were now expending their whole energy to elect Kernan. To this end the Democrats and Liberals were trading votes for Kernan's benefit, furnishing a vote for Grant, and obtaining in return one for Kernan. By this means, the Attorney General said, they hoped to defeat General Dix for Governor.

AN INFAMOUS LIE NAILED.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

QUINCY, Oct. 23.—The *Herald* will publish tomorrow the statement and affidavits of 100 citizens of Palmyra, Mo., denying the infamous libel that a Rebel flag was raised at that place, at a Liberal meeting last Thursday. The denial is positive and complete.

"A STRAIGHT-OUT" FIZZLE.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

DUBUQUE, Oct. 23.—The straight Democratic County Convention called for this evening was the worst fizzle known in this campaign. Only four straight-outers were on hand, and they soon adjourned.

THE INDIANA ELECTION RETURNS IN FULL.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 23.—The complete official returns of the October election received at the Secretary of State's office show the following results:

On the State ticket—For Governor, Hendricks, Democrat, 1,148 majority. For Lieutenant Governor, Sexton, Republican, 330; Secretary of State, Curry, Republican, 184; Auditor, Wildman, Republican, 275; Treasurer, Glover, Republican, 783; Attorney General, Denny, Republican, 644; Superintendent of Public Instruction, Hopkins, Democrat, 957; Reporter of the Supreme Court, Black, Republican, 427; Clerk of the Supreme Court, Schall, Republican, 1,503; Congress-at-Large, Orth, Republican, 103; Wm. Williams, Rep., 383; First Congressional District, Niblack, Dem., 153; Second District, Wolfe, Dem., 5,654; Third District, Hulman, Dem., 1,393; Fourth District, Wilson, Rep., 380; Fifth District, Coburn, Rep., 793; Sixth District, Hunter, Rep., 657; Seventh District, Cason, Rep., 197; Eighth District, Tyner, Rep., 2,939; Ninth District, Neff, Liberal, 24; Tenth District, Saylor, Rep., 2,185; Eleventh District, Packard, Rep., 985. The total number of votes cast for Governor in the State was 377,700, an increase in four years of over 35,000.

The straight-out Democratic ticket received about 130 votes in the State.

ANTI-MASONIC MOVEMENT.

AURORA, Ill., Oct. 23.—The anti-Masons in this vicinity meet in convention to-morrow at St. Charles, Ill., to consider the propriety of putting county officers in nomination at the coming election.

THE MADISON LIBERALS.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

MADISON, Oct. 23.—The Liberals are making preparations for a big meeting Friday night, when the Hon. Ignatius Donnelly, of Minnesota, speaks.

NOTES FROM OUR CORRESPONDENCE.

WOODSTOCK, Ill., Oct. 23.—The Court-House in this town was packed last evening, to hear General Farnsworth, who addressed his audience in a speech of over two hours and a half, commanding the closest attention and frequent applause. The meeting was afterwards addressed by H. W. McLean, Esq., one of the old wheelhorses of the Republican party, who has recently pronounced for Greeley, and by the Hon. Richard Bishop, candidate for the Legislature, both of this county. The meeting was a decided success.

DECATUR, Ill., Oct. 22.—The Liberals of Central Illinois hold a mass meeting at Decatur on Wednesday, Oct. 30. The Hon. Thomas A. Hendricks, the Hon. B. Gratz Brown, the Hon. Gustavus Koerner, and the Hon W. W. O'Brien have each and all signified their intention to be present.

Senator Morton talked to the Republicans here yesterday. He had the best of weather, and everything favorable, but not more than 1,000 hearers. Both parties were much disappointed in the crowd.

PAWPAW, Mich., 19.—The October elections have not hurt the Greeley cause in this (Van Buren) county. We still find the Republicans coming over. They are following the Hon. Chandler Richards and William H. Tucker, Esq.,—two of the leading lawyers of our bar,—men who have been prominent in the Republican party of this county. Mr. Tucker is a splendid speaker, and is engaged in canvassing this Congressional District in behalf of the Liberal cause. Not a Greeley Republican has taken a backward step since the late elections; they seem to be more determined.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—During a political procession at Passaic, N. J., on Monday night, it is reported that a fight occurred, in which sixty persons were more or less injured.

The Committee of Seventy last night discussed a proposition to urge Lawrence to withdraw his candidature for the Mayoralty.

Alonzo B. Cornell has resigned the Surveyorship of the Port of New York, to accept his nomination for the Assembly.

WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, Vt., Oct. 23.—L. P. Poland has been renominated to Congress by the Republicans of the Second District.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 23.—The Hon. David A. Munn, ex-member of Congress, has announced himself an independent Republican candidate for Congress in the Eighth Tennessee District. H. W. H. Vaughn, the present incumbent and Democratic candidate, has withdrawn, leaving three other independent candidates in the field.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—A letter from Woburn, Mass., says the alliance between the Liberals and Labor Reformers in the Fifth District insures General Banks' re-election to Congress, over Gooch, Republican, by a heavy majority.

DEATH ON THE RAIL.

The Eastern Railway Disaster—Other Accidents.

PASSENGER, N. H., Oct. 23.—The Church's funeral to-day over the body of Captain Morton, killed in the recent railroad disaster at Seabrook; Charles G. Dow, of East Salisbury, brakeman of the freight train, who was accountable for the condition of the switch that caused the smash-up, was examined, and, before he had concluded, the inquest was adjourned. He said he placed the switch right for the express train, but did not lock it.

DETROIT, Oct. 23.—A serious accident occurred on the new Flint River Railroad, near Flint, yesterday. A construction train was thrown off the track by running over a cow, and the following persons were injured: John Murphy, killed, his body being mangled in a shocking manner; John Doty, leg broken, but will recover; James Grunly, spine injured, and it is feared that he will not recover; John Muglan, two ribs broken and other slight injuries, but he will recover; Patrick Mulgan, slightly injured about the head, not dangerously; Michael Murray, two ribs broken and injured about the head and neck. A number of others were slightly injured.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, Oct. 23.—A train on the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad was crossing a bridge near Bertram, Iowa, at 6 o'clock last evening, when the track spread, after the engine and four cars passed over safely, and one car was off the track, when the bridge broke, and threw twelve cars into a ditch. Trains are all delayed, and passengers and baggage have to be transferred. No one was injured.

—A fire at Mascoville, Iowa, yesterday morning, destroyed the large barn of S. T. Oviatt, filled with grain. The loss is $25,000; partly insured.

WASHINGTON.

Settlement of the San Juan Boundary Question.

The Emperor of Germany Decides in Favor of the United States.

Diplomatic Intrigue—Probable Cabinet Changes.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

THE GEORGETOWN COAL TRADE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 23.—The people of this District, surfeited with politics, are now experiencing a genuine sensation in the growing up of important commercial connections with England and the British Provinces, growing out of the coal famine. Coal is now being shipped from the port of Georgetown direct to India, to South America, and the West Indies. It is authoritatively stated that several hundred thousand tons of American coal have recently been purchased here on orders transferred from England to the United States. The greater portion of these purchases is of the soft bituminous coal of Maryland, and will be filled at the Cumberland mines, and will be sent thence to Georgetown by way of the Chesapeake & Ohio Canal for transhipment. Several vessels have already left this port within a few weeks with cargoes of soft coal for foreign countries, and others are expected to arrive and clear before the close of navigation. Foreign bottoms are mainly employed for this service, because of their peculiar rig and construction, which renders them more seaworthy than American vessels.

ALSATIAN IMMIGRATION.

The advance guard of the large body of emigrants from Alsace and Lorraine, who are to settle in the neighborhood of Alexandria, have reached that city, and are now engaged in prospecting for favorable sites wherein to settle. Some time will be devoted by these immigrants to the inspection of several tracts of land which are in the market in that section of Virginia. They desire not less than 4,000 acres in a body, though they would prefer a much larger quantity. But the Government by the prior application of the land. The colony now numbers about 200 families, who are skilled in arts, manufactures, and farming. They propose to form a joint stock company, locate a town, and lay out farms, etc. Their purpose is to exclude all others from the colony but those who came with them, for the term of five years, during which time no one of the colony will be authorized to dispose of any portion of the lands purchased and embraced within their survey. If they can be suited in Virginia on good terms, they say they can increase their colony to 2,000 families without any trouble.

THE CURRENCY QUESTION.

Application has been made to the bank-note companies of New York to have engrossed and printed certificates of deposit made payable to bearer in the similitude of bank notes. Parties are here to urge this action by the Treasury Department. The letter of the law does not prohibit this, but the spirit of the law is believed to be conclusively in opposition thereto. The law designates what should be currency, and explicitly provides that nothing shall be issued in the shape of a circulating medium but National Bank notes and legal tenders. At present the National Banks issue certificates of deposit which are payable to order, but not in a form to be used in the way of general circulation. If, then, these certificates of deposit are commonly issued by banks, quite naturally they, as this proposition would indicate, are intended as notes for general circulation. By the adoption of the mode now proposed, the so-called wild-cat banking would be again inaugurated in its worst possible form. The banks from which the certificates are to emanate would have the sanction of the United States Treasury to do business as National Banks. Although such banks may have given security for only $50,000, they might issue their certificates of deposit with impunity to almost a fabulous amount.

DIPLOMATIC INTRIGUING—FISH, WASHBURNE, ET AL.

It is pretty well authenticated that the Secretary of State is not now among the most popular of the Cabinet ministers at the White House. Of course time changes all things. One year ago when Mr. Fish decided to retire, the President was so averse to the change, that he caused a paper to be circulated requesting United States Senators to sign it, and the utmost harmony prevailed. Views were interchanged, and established the fact that, so far as this county was concerned, there was a determination to bring out every vote to be cast for Greeley and Brown. There are no Bourbons, and but few persons reluctant to vote the Liberal ticket in the Democratic party. There is no hope for Jo. Ledlie, as he is badly complicated with the Grant managers here to act independently. It is believed that his will be the only ticket cast for O'Connor and Adams in the county.

LIBERAL MEETING AT EFFINGHAM.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

EFFINGHAM, Ill., Oct. 23.—General Black addressed the citizens of this county at the Court House this evening. His audience was largely composed of farmers from the various townships in the county who are here attending the fair. The General's address was well received throughout, and has done much to stir up the friends of reform in this county. The Germans here are solid for Greeley and the State ticket.

The Hon. J. N. Gwinn, candidate for Elector, B. F. Kagy, Wm. Gilmore, S. F. Gilmore, and others, are making a vigorous canvass and doing good work. Effingham County is good for a handsome Liberal majority in November.

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OPINION ON NEW YORK POLITICS.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 23.—Attorney General Williams, after his return from his canvass in the interior of New York, expressed the belief that it was not possible for Greeley to carry that State, as the party managers in the various districts since the October elections had abandoned all hope of electing Greeley, and were now expending their whole energy to elect Kernan. To this end the Democrats and Liberals were trading votes for Kernan's benefit, furnishing a vote for Grant, and obtaining in return one for Kernan. By this means, the Attorney General said, they hoped to defeat General Dix for Governor.

AN INFAMOUS LIE NAILED.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

QUINCY, Oct. 23.—The *Herald* will publish tomorrow the statement and affidavits of 100 citizens of Palmyra, Mo., denying the infamous libel that a Rebel flag was raised at that place, at a Liberal meeting last Thursday. The denial is positive and complete.

"A STRAIGHT-OUT" FIZZLE.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

DUBUQUE, Oct. 23.—The straight Democratic County Convention called for this evening was the worst fizzle known in this campaign. Only four straight-outers were on hand, and they soon adjourned.

THE INDIANA ELECTION RETURNS IN FULL.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 23.—The complete official returns of the October election received at the Secretary of State's office show the following results:

On the State ticket—For Governor, Hendricks, Democrat, 1,148 majority. For Lieutenant Governor, Sexton, Republican, 330; Secretary of State, Curry, Republican, 184; Auditor, Wildman, Republican, 275; Treasurer, Glover, Republican, 783; Attorney General, Denny, Republican, 644; Superintendent of Public Instruction, Hopkins, Democrat, 957; Reporter of the Supreme Court, Black, Republican, 427; Clerk of the Supreme Court, Schall, Republican, 1,503; Congress-at-Large, Orth, Republican, 103; Wm. Williams, Rep., 383; First Congressional District, Niblack, Dem., 153; Second District, Wolfe, Dem., 5,654; Third District, Hulman, Dem., 1,393; Fourth District, Wilson, Rep., 380; Fifth District, Coburn, Rep., 793; Sixth District, Hunter, Rep., 657; Seventh District, Cason, Rep., 197; Eighth District, Tyner, Rep., 2,939; Ninth District, Neff, Liberal, 24; Tenth District, Saylor, Rep., 2,185; Eleventh District, Packard, Rep., 985. The total number of votes cast for Governor in the State was 377,700, an increase in four years of over 35,000.

The straight-out Democratic ticket received about 130 votes in the State.

ANTI-MASONIC MOVEMENT.

AURORA, Ill., Oct. 23.—The anti-Masons in this vicinity meet in convention to-morrow at St. Charles, Ill., to consider the propriety of putting county officers in nomination at the coming election.

THE MADISON LIBERALS.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

MADISON, Oct. 23.—The Liberals are making preparations for a big meeting Friday night, when the Hon. Ignatius Donnelly, of Minnesota, speaks.

NOTES FROM OUR CORRESPONDENCE.

WOODSTOCK, Ill., Oct. 23.—The Court-House in this town was packed last evening, to hear General Farnsworth, who addressed his audience in a speech of over two hours and a half, commanding the closest attention and frequent applause. The meeting was afterwards addressed by H. W. McLean, Esq., one of the old wheelhorses of the Republican party, who has recently pronounced for Greeley, and by the Hon. Richard Bishop, candidate for the Legislature, both of this county. The meeting was a decided success.

DECATUR, Ill., Oct. 22.—The Liberals of Central Illinois hold a mass meeting at Decatur on Wednesday, Oct. 30. The Hon. Thomas A. Hendricks, the Hon. B. Gratz Brown, the Hon. Gustavus Koerner, and the Hon W. W. O'Brien have each and all signified their intention to be present.

Senator Morton talked to the Republicans here yesterday. He had the best of weather, and everything favorable, but not more than 1,000 hearers. Both parties were much disappointed in the crowd.

PAWPAW, Mich., 19.—The October elections have not hurt the Greeley cause in this (Van Buren) county. We still find the Republicans coming over. They are following the Hon. Chandler Richards and William H. Tucker, Esq.,—two of the leading lawyers of our bar,—men who have been prominent in the Republican party of this county. Mr. Tucker is a splendid speaker, and is engaged in canvassing this Congressional District in behalf of the Liberal cause. Not a Greeley Republican has taken a backward step since the late elections; they seem to be more determined.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—During a political procession at Passaic, N. J., on Monday night, it is reported that a fight occurred, in which sixty persons were more or less injured.

The Committee of Seventy last night discussed a proposition to urge Lawrence to withdraw his candidature for the Mayoralty.

Alonzo B. Cornell has resigned the Surveyorship of the Port of New York, to accept his nomination for the Assembly.

WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, Vt., Oct. 23.—L. P. Poland has been renominated to Congress by the Republicans of the Second District.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 23.—The Hon. David A. Munn, ex-member of Congress, has announced himself an independent Republican candidate for Congress in the Eighth Tennessee District. H. W. H. Vaughn, the present incumbent and Democratic candidate, has withdrawn, leaving three other independent candidates in the field.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

NEW YORK, Oct. 19.—A letter from Woburn, Mass., says the alliance between the Liberals and Labor Reformers in the Fifth District insures General Banks' re-election to Congress, over Gooch, Republican, by a heavy majority.

DEATH ON THE RAIL.

The Eastern Railway Disaster—Other Accidents.

PASSENGER, N. H., Oct. 23.—The Church's funeral to-day over the body of Captain Morton, killed in the recent railroad disaster at Seabrook; Charles G. Dow, of East Salisbury, brakeman of the freight train, who was accountable for the condition of the switch that caused the smash-up, was examined, and, before he had concluded, the inquest was adjourned. He said he placed the switch right for the express train, but did not lock it.

DETROIT, Oct. 23.—A serious accident occurred on the new Flint River Railroad, near Flint, yesterday. A construction train was thrown off the track by running over a cow, and the following persons were injured: John Murphy, killed, his body being mangled in a shocking manner; John Doty, leg broken, but will recover; James Grunly, spine injured, and it is feared that he will not recover; John Muglan, two ribs broken and other slight injuries, but he will recover; Patrick Mulgan, slightly injured about the head, not dangerously; Michael Murray, two ribs broken and injured about the head and neck. A number of others were slightly injured.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, Oct. 23.—A train on the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad was crossing a bridge near Bertram, Iowa, at 6 o'clock last evening, when the track spread, after the engine and four cars pass

ARKANSAS.

Our Lost Commonwealth, and Next Acquaintance.

No History for Ishmael---Missionary Effort to Restore It.

Where, and When, and How Settled---Annals of the State, from Original Documents.

From Our Own Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18, 1872.

A railroad chartered by the name of the Cairo & Fulton Railroad will be open about Christmas. Cairo is the southernmost town of Illinois; Fulton is a hamlet of Arkansas, on the Red River of Louisiana. This road will be the shortest route from Chicago to Texas; but, until the Mississippi be bridged at Commerce, St. Louis will have the advantage, as the controller of the new line is a St. Louis capitalist. Whether the great bridge at St. Louis is to be its advantage, is a question which time must answer; but it is undoubted that St. Louis has now captured very much of the former trade of New Orleans,—notably the Red River trade,—and, by its railway system southwestward, is aiming to carry from Memphis the entire trade of Arkansas. At the same time, it possesses the new lines to the Indian Territory, whose common extension is hastening to reach Texas.

Arkansas comes up to within 70 miles of Illinois, and yet how little is known of it! There is no place really to find anything about the State; no book,—hardly a cyclopædia article. The Annual Cyclopædia for 1869 says: "A history of Arkansas since its first settlement by white men, and of its political existence up to the present time, has not been published, perhaps not written." To eke out this ignorance, the editor resorts to "an official journal kept by Departmental regulations,—probably at the Arsenal,—at Little Rock;" and this journal begins by saying: "No history of Arkansas has ever been published."

Chicago, as the Metropolis of the Mississippi Valley, should disseminate this information in advance of the new revelation in railways in this "Bear State."

THE RAILROAD SYSTEM OF ARKANSAS,

at the present time, comprehends, in a complete and incomplete condition, the following roads:

The Memphis & Little Rock Railroad.—134 way, in twelve hours, or about 11 miles an hour. The road is said to be doing a paying business. It has received $1,200,000 from the State.

The Cairo & Fulton Railroad,—with a land-grant 800 by 70 miles,—open from Argenta to Kensett, 49 miles, and expected to be opened before frost from near Little Rock to St. Louis. When completed, it will be 880 miles long, and describe the longest diagonal possible in the State. It should have been finished by contract, July 1, 1872, to Little Rock.

The Arkansas Central Railroad,—40 miles completed, and $500,000 received from the State. To run from Helena to Little Rock and Pine Bluff.

The Little Rock & Fort Smith Railroad,—opened only 49 miles above Little Rock, and at Lewisburg connecting with steamers and stages for the Indian Territory. About as much more of this railroad is said to be graded. It has received $900,000 from the State.

The Helena & Iron Mountain Railroad,—an arm of Allen & Maynard's St. Louis Railroad; has a grant of 300,000 acres, and county bonds to the amount of $500,000.

The above are the only railroads to which any reference is made in the official time-tables of the country. A rather gushing advertising pamphlet upon Arkansas—the only book extant pretending to give any account of the State—enumerates, however, seventeen railways, wildcat or otherwise, and says that the Little Rock & Pine Bluff Road has laid 60 miles of track; the Mississippi, Ouachita & Red River, 42 miles; the Memphis & Kansas City has 40 miles graded, etc., etc. In short, says this advertiser, Arkansas will have *four thousand* miles of rail when all these seventeen roads are done.

THE SOURCES OF INFORMATION.

I dont know that I can render better service, or be more interesting, in any way, than by sketching the history of this wild State for THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE,—the result of more labor and perseverance than the work will be credited with. In the first place, let me direct the reader to whatever literature exists upon Arkansas.

The list of books in this direction is small indeed, and I append some memoranda upon all that I could find:

"Resources of Arkansas: By James P. Henry, Little Rock, 1872." This is a pamphlet of 152 pages, written by a well-meaning friend of the present State Government. It is cheerful and evident, and cheap besides. Address the author at Little Rock.

"Geological Reconnoissance of Arkansas: Made during the year 1857-'60, by David Dale Owen, and E. T. COX, Assistant." This is the best monument extant to the old State Government prior to the Rebellion. It contains nearly 700 pages of field-notes, chemical analyses of soils, fossils, etc., and takes rank in this scientific performance with any similar book in the country. E. N. Conway was Governor when this work was undertaken, and he selected Mr. Owen. It is a fair inquiry as to whether an Administration which left one such work has not been the best in performance which the State ever had.

"Scenes and Adventures in the Semi-Alpine Regions of the Ozark Mountains of Missouri and Arkansas, which was first traversed by DeSoto in 1541. By Henry R. Schoolcraft." This is a delightful book of simple-hearted adventures across the Arkansas line, made in the boyhood of a noble career. It was preceded by a London publication of the same adventures, entitled "Journal of a Tour into the Interior of Missouri and Arkansas, 1821." Schoolcraft also wrote a poem, probably the first ever composed in the State (1818), "in a cave in the wilderness of Arkansas," which was published in the *Belles Lettres Repository* in 1821. In this there seems to be an intimation of the homicidal habits of the pioneers he had seen there:

> Genius of caverns, drear and wild,
> Hear a supplicant, wandering child,
> * * * * * *
> One who spills not on the plain
> Blood for sport or worldly gain,
> Like his red barbarian kin.

"An Account of a Voyage up the Arkansas in 1819, by Thomas Nuttall, a Naturalist." This book is long out of print, and very scarce. It is written in a patient, philosophic spirit, worthy of a Philadelphian of the former time, and contains social notes far more valuable now than its scientific suggestions.

In *De Bow's Commercial Review* for 1848 are two articles,—one called "Northern Louisiana and Arkansas," by R. M. Bry; another called "Northern Arkansas and Its Natural Advantages," anonymous. The writer of the former narrative tour says that he never met with a description of that route pursued. He was probably the last who wrote one.

Timothy Flint, who resided in Arkansas a few months about the year 1820, published his "Recollections of the Mississippi Valley," and also a plain history and geography of the same country, in 1826; very little is said about Arkansas.

Dr. John W. Monette published, in 1846, a plain and industrious "History of the Valley of the Mississippi," which alludes necessarily to Arkansas, but thinly.

The most satisfactory statement of the State debt, new and old, is to be found in the Minority Ku-Klux Report, signed by T. M. Hanks, native Congressman, of Helena. It is House Document Report No. 22, volume 1, Forty-second Congress, Second Session. Although with partisan references, it is explicit in figures, and sworn to.

"Desperadoes of the New World." A series of chapters of crime in Arkansas, published in 1849, and still in print. These are crude and meretricious in style, but they relate, more explicitly than Arkansas criticism will allow, what duels, lynchings, and villanies were done in the State thirty years ago. The book is of the catchpenny kind, but we have no alternative; and the sketch of Kent Toland, the Arkansas desperado-editor must have had some verisimilitude, because it appeared while the subject was still alive.

In Wetmore's "Gazetteer of Missouri" for 1837, there is a capital story, ascribed to a real career, called "The Dead Husband,"—fore-running, with more reality, but less dramatic art, the stamp of Bret Harte's outlaw sketches. The same literal treatment and dry humor appear, and the characters are Arkansans of the early period.

The war of Secession in this State is related in a magazine paper (*Harper's*, volume 33), by J. S. C. Abbott; and the roster and work of the Union regiments, by Adjutant General A. W. Bishop, in a report published at the expense of Congress. No adequate book or paper on this subject has yet appeared.

"The Life of the Notorious Desperado, Cullen Baker," edited by his brother-in-law, who killed him at last, is a current pamphlet at Little Rock. This fellow must have been the worst demon in the State, and no State had worse demons.

The above is all I have found, not referred to in the body of this article, to reward curiosity upon the State of Arkansas. But anybody who can have time for access to the files of the old *State Gazette* at Little Rock, and will consult some of the old men about to perish there, may write a book to deserve the thanks of sociologists, and benefit Arkansas by setting the mirror before its people. A thankless task is often the truest, and ultimately the best appreciated.

A very complete account of the rivers of Arkansas is to be had in the report of the Chief of Engineers, Secretary of War's Documents, 1871. "The Discovery of the Great West," by Parkman, relates the first occupation of Arkansas Post.

THE FIRST WHITE MEN

to tread the soil of the State were DeSoto's party, in the year 1541. He crossed within thirty miles of the town of Helena, broke up his boats for the nails and iron in them, and marched northwestward across the Arkansas "bottoms" for five days, to an Indian town on the banks of White River. It was in the month of May, and the fields were full of corn. Two miles above this town, on the same river, he erected the great pine-tree cross which Powell transfers, in his painting, to the "Discovery of the Mississippi." He marched also south to the River Saline and discovered salt, fought a battle with Indians near the Little Missouri, and continued to the Upper Arkansas, near the future Fort Smith, where he went into winter quarters. Here died De Soto's interpreter, Juan Ortiz. Early in the spring he marched the whole breadth of the State to the Mississippi, recrossed it, and, about the 5th of June, 1542, he died, 20 miles below the mouth of the Arkansas. His successor, de Moscoso, recrossed Arkansas to the Red River corner, was lost in Texas, and a fourth time the despairing band travelled the breadth of the State back again to the mouth of the Arkansas River, pursued and ambuscaded by Indians. Here, reduced by death to 350 men, they built seven brigantines, and launched down the "Rio Grande," or Mississippi, July 2, 1543.

Thus Arkansas was occupied more than two years by white men, above three hundred and thirty years ago.

MARQUETTE IN ARKANSAS.

In the summer of 1673, after an interval of one hundred and thirty years, the priests, Marquette and Joliet, went ashore at the mouth of the Arkansas River, and had a fish-bake with the Indians. Garfish, perhaps, or buffalo-fish, or catfish. The Arkansas Indians, farther down, said that they had no Spanish firearms among them. From this Arkansas village, 700 miles above the mouth of the Mississippi, Marquette and Joliet, and their five boatmen, the second discoverers of the Mississippi, returned to the Illinois River and Chicago. Nothing happened to Marquette more in Arkansas, except that he got the dysentery.

LA SALLE'S VISIT TO ARKANSAS.

In February or early March, 1682, Robert Cavelier La Salle, a Norman, and Henri de Tonty, an Italian officer (from whose father's theory of life insurance we get the word Tontine), with twenty-three Frenchmen and thirty-one Indians of both sexes, three being children, went direct from Chicago with boats, and down the Illinois, to the mouth of the Mississippi. Nearly all this party went ashore near the mouth of the Arkansas, and partook of the hospitality of the Quapaw Indians, who possessed domestic fowls and manufactures, and were "a lively, civil, generous people." Hymns were sung; one enthusiastic man shouted, "*Vive le Roi!*" meaning Louis XIV.; and two of the native Arkansans piloted the party down the Mississippi. These Indians Charlevoix subsequently called *les Beaux L'Hommes*, and said they were the tallest and best-formed in America.

DE TONTY'S ARKANSAS COLONY.

Nearly all current books state that Arkansas was first settled at Arkansas Post, in the year 1685. This is true only in a qualified sense. Mr. Francis Parkman, the latest authority, says that it was in 1686 that Tonty, going to the relief of the lost La Salle, returned from his unsuccessful search, to the villages of the Arkansas. Here some of his men volunteered to remain. He left six of them, and of this number were Couture and De Launay. This is the date of the settlement of the Arkansas Post, if settlement it can be called. The following year, 1687, the survivors of La Salle's party—their leader murdered on the way, and his death avenged upon the Cenis Indians—crossed the subsequent State of Arkansas from the Red River to the Lower Arkansas. La Salle had been murdered near the River Trinity, of Texas. The story of the murder was related by the survivors to the man Couture, a carpenter of Rouen, France, and he took it down at the time it was told; and thus the little Indian freak of some Frenchmen to lead a savage life made one of them an historical authority.

Of the comrades of La Salle, says Parkman, "approached the River Arkansas at a point not far above its junction with the Mississippi. Led by their Indian guides, they traversed a rich district of plains and woods, and stood at length on the borders of the stream. Nestled beneath the forests of the farther shore, they saw the lodges of a large Indian town; and here, as they paused across the narrow current, they presently descried an object which nerved their spent limbs, and thrilled their homesick hearts with joy. It was a tall wooden cross, and near it was a small house, built evidently by Christian hands. With one accord they fell on their knees, and raised their hands to heaven in thanksgiving. Two men, in European dress, issued from the door of the house, and fired their guns to salute the excited travellers, who, on their part, replied with a volley. Canoes put out from the farther shore and ferried them to the town, where they were welcomed by Couture and De Launay, two of Tonty's followers."

At this spot, they ate corn-bread and dried buffalo meat. Aug. 1, in a wooden canoe, they passed down the Mississippi. Ten of the white men remained behind, as well as a Paris *gamin* named Barthelmy. From these whites and their savage concubines, sprang a race of half-breeds whose descendants existed in 1819, when Mr. Nuttall ascended the Arkansas.

WHERE SETTLED.

The first true settlement was made at the Old French Post on the Arkansas, a few miles below the bayou which communicates with the White River. Annoyed by rats, and repeatedly inundated, they moved to the present "Post," which is the oldest town in the State. I suspect the date to have been 1710 to 1721.

THE FRENCH IN ARKANSAS.

It is customary with us to suppose that the drift of emigration was from East to West, but Arkansas was settled from the Gulf by military advancing northeastward. The parent French colony was at Mobile and around the mouth of the Mississippi, planted by Iberville in 1699. The next year the one-handed De Tonty descended from the Canadian colonies, on the Illinois, to meet him. In 1711, Louisiana cut loose from Canada altogether, and thereafter the Louisianians began to plant posts on all the large tributaries of the Mississippi, to keep off the Spanish and English, and moderate the Indians. Thus they planted a post on the Washita, south of the Arkansas line, in 1713; and, about 1720, Bernard de la Harpe planted the post of Natcoo, 200 miles above the Great Raft, in what is now Hempstead County, Arkansas. About the same time, the great stone Fort Chartres was built in Illinois, 40 miles below St. Louis, occupying eighteen months to put it up. The French population probably pushed up the Washita and Red Rivers, and their *coureurs du bois* and runners passed across the country, and took peltries, salt, buffalo, and deer from the wilds of Arkansas. From this State, Bernard de la Harpe departed to colonize Texas, which the Spanish also occupied in 1720. In all this year, slaves were brought direct from Africa to see the seed of a social empire which should last nearly a hundred and fifty years.

While Anthony Cuzet possessed the trading and mining monopoly of the Mississippi Valley, between 1712 and 1715, Arkansas was dug over in many places to find precious metals. When John Law, the creator of the "Mississippi Bubble," ruled France through his omniverously-borrowing bank, "a Western Company" was formed, to colonize the Mississippi Valley; and the same year in which New Orleans was founded, 1718, witnessed the grant, out of an enormous track of land, twelve miles square, on the Arkansas River, to Law himself. At the same time, Bernard de la Harpe, got a large grant bordering on the Red River corner of Arkansas. Le Harpe explored the State from the Post of Arkansas to the Indian Territory, and Texas.

LAW'S GERMAN SETTLEMENT.

In 1721, an attempt was made to colonize the Arkansas Red River and the Upper Arkansas. In March, 1723, John Law sent 200 Germans over to Arkansas Post, *via* Mobile. They settled around the Post, 60 miles above the Mississippi, and others occupied the small prairies nearly as far up as Little Rock. Forty of these settlers remained until Law's scheme failed, in 1723, when they had prepared to leave the country. The people of New Orleans, however, persuaded them to settle anew 20 miles above that city, on what was called the German Coast; there their descendants still remain.

MAGDALENA SETTLEMENT.

Women were also sent over to Arkansas and neighboring parts from the hospitals and houses of correction of Paris, such as the *Salpetriere*. That affecting and rather immoral novel of the Abbe-Prevost, called "Manon Lescant," refers to one of these poor lorettes. The Arkansas Ozarks were mined and tunneled for gold and silver to sustain Lane's ridiculous scheme of finance.

ARKANSAS BECOMES SPANISH.

In 1762, the French Empire fell before the English colonists; and, the same year, by the terms of a secret treaty, the King of Spain possessed Arkansas. To get out of English jurisdiction, many French crossed from the East side to the Arkansas shore. In 1801, the King of Spain ceded all this territory to the King of France, who sold it in 1803 to the United States for twelve millions of dollars, plus four millions of claims assumed by the United States and never paid. The price of Arkansas then to the Americans may be said to have been about three millions of dollars. Next against her to the west was a Spanish colony, with San Antonio for its chief town. Prior to the purchase, several Americans had crossed over and become Spanish subjects or accepted Spanish protection, and in this way Moses Austin, of Connecticut, seeking to prosecute mining in the Ozark Mountains, derived that knowledge of the land and its masters which enabled him to found with a Spanish grant the American State of Texas.

ARKANSAS POST IN THE OLD TIME.

An account of this old post is to be had in a London publication by Captain Philip Pittman, bearing date 1770. It is entitled "The Present State of the European Settlements on the Mississippi." The book was written a few years after the retirement of the French and Spanish from the Ohio posts to their new line of posts on the great river, and was designed to convey military information to the author's Government. At that time the "Post of Arcansas" was, with one exception, the solitary settlement of civilized beings in the limits of the present State.

It was, according to this account, three leagues up the Arkansas, and was a stockade of regular form, bastioned, the sides only 180 feet in length, and three-pounders mounted in flanks and faces of each faction. Within the fort were a commander's house, a barrack with three rooms for the men, a powder-magazine, provision-magazine, and commissary-shed. The fort was 200 yards from the water-side, and the land was cleared around it to the depth of 900 yards. It was held by a French Captain and a Lieutenant, and by 30 French soldiers, including Corporals and Sergeants. Eight houses, occupied by eight families, were attached to the fort, and these people sent buffalo and bear meat, fat, and skins to New Orleans to be sold. The stockade was in a ruinous condition, being at the time more than 50 years old. Three leagues above the fort, at the river-side, were three villages of "Arcansas or Inapan Indians," numbering 600 warriors, and the bravest of all the aboriginines, and they waged war with the tribes to the west of them as far as the River Bravo. Amongst these Indians many Chickasaws, and some of the extinguished confederacy of Natchez Indians, had been adopted. The Natchez had been the noblest warriors in the Southwest, but the French had ruined them. The French garrison was on good terms with the Indians.

ARKANSAS IN 1803.

An abstract of documents addressed to President Johnson, relative to Louisiana, was published in book-form in London, in 1804. It stated that there were few Indians resident between the Red and Arkansas Rivers. There were then 260 only of the Arkansas tribe, attached to the French in friendship, and ready to fight in their behalf against the hostile Chickasaws. Their best village was 18 leagues up the Arkansas River, the next three leagues farther on, and the third six leagues. The scarcity of game east of the Mississippi frequently brought over the Choctaws, Cherokees, and Creeks, some of whom had married the women of the Arkansas tribe. The civilized population consisted of 335 whites, 45 slaves, and 5 free blacks. There were, besides, between the St. Francis River and the Mississippi, some vagabond Indians, who disturbed passing boats.

LIEUTENANT PIKE UP THE ARKANSAS.

The French had ascended the Arkansas far above little Rock as early as 1702. Lieutenant T. B. Pike was the first American official to strike the Upper Arkansas, advancing from the head of navigation on the Osage, in the 6th day of October, 1806,—Jefferson, President.

Oct. 28, he detached a Lieutenant, Sergeant, and four men to descend the Arkansas in canoes, made of buffalo and elk skins. This party consisted of Lieutenant James B. Wilkinson, Sergeant Joseph Ballenger, Interpreter Barony Vasquez, and three privates, Bradley, Huddleston, and Wilson. They made the descent of the river in safety, and arrived at New Orleans some time in 1807. This probably was the first party of Americans to traverse the whole width of the future State.

In the autumn of 1817, amongst the current paragraphs of news, appears the following:

"Major Bradford has left St. Louis to establish a military post on the Arkansas River, near the Osage Indian boundary line."

This was the establishment of Fort Smith, the water-gate to the Indian Territory.

FINIS.

In another letter, I shall describe Arkansas as an American Territory and State. GATH.

A STATEMENT.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: In to-days's issue of your paper, I observe an article headed, "Compelled to Disgorge," where my name is conspicuously mentioned as the "Harrison Street Lawyer," and as my being the means of encouraging a swindle upon an emigrant.

As I wish this to be contradicted, and not have my name brought before the public in such a way, and in the light of a swindler, I will give you the details of the transaction:

On Wednesday last, about noon, Mr. Lansing,—who, by the way, is, and has been, a customer of mine for some time,—came to me and requested me to do a favor for him. He was accompanied by two men, one of whom was Mr. Volmuth, the complainant, and the other his friend. I did not stop to inquire the nature of the request, but told him I would do what I could for him, taking into consideration that he was a customer of mine, and entitled to such at my hands. He then explained to me that he wished to borrow $400 of Mr. Volmuth, one of the men, and requested me to make out a note for such. I did as directed, not thinking of the proper form of making out such. They were both satisfied with the same, and I gave it no further thought, not knowing at the time that I was to be the victim and theme for a scandal. Mr. Lansing then bought a box of cigars, and Mr. Volmuth bought another, through the solicitations of his friend, and so the matter was settled.

Either the reporter's or Mr. Volmuth's statement is incorrect, for I was not introduced as a lawyer, as the article goes to show. I am innocent of any complicity in the affair; and, as I do not wish my friends or the public to misconstrue my true character as an honest and law-abiding citizen into that of an unscrupulous swindler, as you make me out to be, I ask you to give this vindication space in your columns, in order to exonerate me from any complicity in the case, as far as swindle is concerned. By so doing, you will much oblige, yours truly,

WILLIAM GOODKIND.

CHICAGO, Oct. 22, 1872.

A Thorn in the Flesh.

From the Carlisle (Ky.) Mercury.

Sixty-one years ago Mr. William Wirtman, a well-known citizen of Bath County—he then being quite a young man—run a thorn into his foot, below his ankle, from which he suffered considerably. As it went deep, the attempt of the physicians to extract it caused him excruciating pain—so much so that it was deemed best to desist from further attempt, for fear lock-jaw might ensue. The thorn remained in the foot, and in course of time the wound made by it healed up. The pain ceased, and after that he experienced no inconvenience from walking on the foot. Time passed on, and he thought no more of the matter until last week, when, feeling an itching sensation in the leg just below the knee, he scratched the part, when the skin loosened and gave way, and, to his surprise, a dark speck was visible. He caught hold of it with his thumb and forefinger, and pulling at it out came the thorn. It had been imbedded sixty-one years, and had made its way that far up his leg, coming out on the side opposite to that in which it entered. And we will add that the thorn when it came out was as sound as when it went in. All the above is strictly true, as our informant is a trustworthy gentleman who received the information direct from Mr. Wirtman

THE HORSE-DISEASE.

Prevalence of the Epidemic in Buffalo.

Over Two-Thirds of the Horses in the City Sick.

The Streets Almost Deserted by Vehicles, and Business Much Embarrassed.

From the Buffalo Express, Oct. 22.

The extent of mankind's dependence upon equine assistance is being vividly brought to view by the widespread demoralization which exists in Buffalo in consequence of the presence of the Canada horse epidemic disease. The deserted appearance of the streets yesterday would have impressed a stranger with a sense of unusual quietude. The streets were full of people, but there was an almost painful absence of vehicles. The disease, which at first was supposed to be merely a passing ailment, has demonstrated a degree of mischief which amounts to a positive public disaster. Over two-thirds of the horses in the city are now sick, and of the remainder a large majority have some symptoms of the epidemic. One experienced horseman gave it as his opinion yesterday that not one-quarter of the horses on the streets were fit to be used. The running nostrils and harsh cough —first symptoms—certainly indicated the presence of the disease on almost every street and in every part of the city. There was but one common topic of conversation among the city people yesterday, and that was "horse disease."

The veterinary surgeons have been kept busy day and night sight since last Thursday, and hundreds of cases—some severe and some very mild—have been treated by them. Mr. Wm. Somerville, on Erie street, has had between 800 and 900 cases on hand, not one of which has proved fatal. All of the street railroad horses are now under his care. Mr. S. Somerville, whose establishment is on the Terrance, has treated nearly 200 cases. All of the Fire Department horses are being treated by him.

Mr. William Somerville was absent from the city yesterday, having gone to Toronto for the purpose of studying the symptoms and methods for curing the disease.

THE STREET RAILROADS.

The effects of this singular distemper are felt by the public most severely, probably through the Street Railroad Company, which has been afflicted sorely. We were informed yesterday afternoon that every horse owned by the company was sick. There were sixty under treatment at the Main street barn, and over forty at the Niagara street barn yesterday afternoon, and doubtless all of the animals used on the road were affected in some degree.

Several cars have been withdrawn for the time being, and instead of the regular five minutes and a half time, the s is now an interval of fifteen minutes between the cars, and fears are entertained of a still more unfavorable change. Should the weather turn out rainy the few horses that are now in use would be unfit for duty. Last evening nearly every street car was crowded to its utmost, and the horses were noticable for their coughing and unnaturally weak condition.

The officers of the company are making every effort possible to accommodate the public in spite of their serious embarrassments. If by the purchase of fifty extra horses the difficulty could be overcome, we are informed, the animals would be secured without delay. But it is evident that to buy fresh horses now would be to add only to the number of subjects for the inevitable disease.

With a few exceptions there has been a general suspension of business by the proprietors of the livery stables since last Thursday. Reporters of the *Express* visited all of the principal stables in the city yesterday and elicited the following facts:

Charles W. Miller, Pearl street—Fifty horses in the barn, all sick, some very seriously, and none able to work.

Richard Callahan, Washington street—Thirty horses in the stable, all sick and business suspended.

Mings & White, Chippewa street—Thirty-five horses, all sick, business suspended.

Stevenson, Washington street—Thirty horses sick; part of them used a very little.

George E. Efner, Franklin street—The only livery stable in the city that is not seriously embarrassed. Forty-three horses in the barn and all well with perhaps five or six exceptions.

G. E. Matteson, Niagara street—Thirty horses more or less affected. Four seriously sick.

C. F. Miller, Terrace—Thirty-eight horses in the stable, and all sick and unfit for driving.

Level & Frelick, Ellicott street—Business suspended. Thirty-four horses under treatment for the disease.

Bruce & Polley, stables on Swan street and Michigan street—Seventy horses more or less affected. Not over six or eight horses permitted to go out.

C. W. & R. Daniels, Michigan street—Twenty-one horses sick.

J. C. Stanfield, Michigan street—Eighteen horses selling more or less, and not fit to work.

Charles Stevens, Pearl street—Eleven horses sick since Thursday, apparently recovering.

PRIVATE STABLES.

The proud owners of fine carriage and buggy horses were very generally bemoaning their "epidemical" misfortunes yesterday. The largest private stables are all more or less affected by the disease, and among the down-town business men there is a very small percentage who were so fortunate as to ride "their usual conveyances. In the stable of one of our wealthiest citizens, we are informed, that there are no less than $55,000 worth of horses sick with this disease.

THE HACKMEN.

Out of about one hundred licensed hackmen, there were, yesterday, not more than ten on the streets. The public "stands" have been entirely deserted for the past three days, and the travelling portion of our community are compelled to walk to and from the depot, with their trunks in a hand-cart, or on their shoulders, or perhaps in a wheelbarrow.

The sick horses are distributed throughout the numerous boarding stables in the city.

In Kraft's barn on Blossom street there were seventeen quite sick yesterday. Jas. Wescott's stable, corner of Carroll and Wells street contained thirteen. Mr. H. J. Fox has six in his barn, and there is not a boarding stable in Buffalo that has not one or more cases.

Old and experienced liverymen inform us that there are between seventy-five and ninety hacks laid up at the present time. The only death that we hear of in this class is that of a horse owned by Mr. Clinton Beebe, which died Sunday.

THE OMNIBUS COMPANY.

This company has been obliged to stop work for the past two or three days, owing to the disability of all of the horses. The barn on Green street was full of sick animals yesterday, and some of them were reported very sick indeed. One death occurred Sunday and another yesterday morning. There are thirty-eight horses suffering from the disease, almost all of which are in the company's barn, the remainder being on Mr. Tyler's farm. Yesterday fifty extra horses were secured, and the business of the company will be resumed to-day.

CANAL HORSES AND MULES.

Fortunately for the canal traffic the epidemic seems not to have extended as yet to the horses and mules used by canal boatmen. Visits paid to several of the canal stables in the lower part of the city, by one of the *Express* reporters yesterday, revealed the fact that very few of the animals used on the towpath have been troubled with the disease. Wherever a case manifested itself great care has been taken to get the sick horse away from the others as a precaution against the spreading of the ailment, which is pronounced by medical men as contagious.

THE TRUCKMEN.

The epidemic has seriously affected the cartmen, compelling a large number of them to suspend work. Mr. J. G. Coons, one of the principal men in this class of business, has stopped work entirely in consequence of the sickness of his horses, twelve in number. Three died Sunday and yesterday.

The Terrace, whereon a large number of the truckmen usual do congregate, was deserted yesterday, and we hear of several instances where merchants were seriously annoyed at not being able to secure transportation for their goods sold or purchased during the day. In case this complaint becomes worse there is no knowing what the consequences will be, as there is a large amount of freight in store and warehouses now awaiting transportation.

CONDITION OF THE EXPRESS HORSES.

Almost all of the fine horses owned by the express companies are sick. The barn on Exchange and Carroll streets last night did not contain a single well animal. There were twenty-seven horses sick, about three-fourths of which were totally unfit for use. During the day, the warm weather being considered rather beneficial than otherwise, some of the least afflicted animals were put to wagons for short trips, and by driving slowly, it is thought they were worked without injury. Last night each of the express companies was working only one horse.

ANIMALS BELONGING TO THE CITY.

A large number of the horses connected with the Fire Department are suffering from the epidemic in a mild degree, but no serious ailment in the Section of the Department is apprehended.

The police horses were also sick yesterday, and search was being made at last accounts for a medium of propulsion for the noted Black Maria.

THE FARMERS.

From what our reporters were able to learn by inquiring among the farmers, little or no knowledge of the epidemic prevails in the country horseshoers. Wherever there is pasturage the horses seem to be all right. A few cases are reported where farmers, having driven in from the country early in the morning, found their horses sick in the barn later in the day. Quite a number of sick animals belonging to non-resident farmers were under treatment in the boarding-stables in the vicinity of Seneca and Michigan streets, last night.

ITS EFFECT ON BUSINESS.

Whenever horseflesh has hertofore been used to facilitate propulsion or transportation, the effects of this epidemic are being felt with increasing severity. All dealers in salable goods find the absence of their horse or horses an almost unbearable catastrophe. Provision merchants are embarrassed for means to convey their staple articles of traffic from place to place. Coal dealers are already gradually suspending the delivery of coal, and the same misfortune is borne by lumber dealers, butchers, and, in fact, every class of tradesmen. Some of the horses used by contractors for drawing stone, dirt, timber, etc., were taken sick yesterday, and should the disease spread among them serious pecuniary damage is likely to ensue.

THE EXTENT AND PROSPECTS.

We are not inclined to indulge in the least bit of sensational exaggeration in relation to the disease, neither do we wish to aid in spreading abroad untruthful and damaging rumors. The fact is apparent that a very large majority of the horses of Buffalo are at present incapacitated for work, and there is undoubted prospect that to-day and to-morrow will see an increase of the distemper. Pedestrianism by compulsion will be the ruling fashion for a few days at least, but there need be no fears of extended fatal results, so long as the sick animals are given timely and proper treatment.

NEBRASKA.

Address of the Liberal State Central Committee.

To the Liberal Voters of Nebraska:

After a careful review of the late State elections, the Liberal State Central Committee find in the result, by a renewed effort, cheerful indications of final triumph for our cause, and urgently call upon all who are opposed to fraud and corruption in State and General Government, to relax no effort in purging the body politic of these self-confessed and growing evils. Free institutions on this continent are being placed in imminent peril. Our Republican form of Government is fast becoming a shadow without the substance. The elective franchise, which, under the Constitution, is the sole prerogative of the citizen—the palladium of American liberties—has been unscrupulously assailed, violated, and trampled upon. The most daring and stupendous frauds, having no parallel in the annals of our country, were recently perpetrated in the city which gave birth to the Republic. The banner of the dominant party in Pennsylvania is stained and blotted all over with fraudulent registration and illegal votes, and would be trailing to-day had a free expression of those entitled to suffrage been secured. But, by flagrant usurpations of the people's sacred right, the Republican majority for President in 1868, of 28,896, has nearly been retained for Harris nfr. In Ohio, the Republican majority in '68 was 41,423, which is now reduced to less than 13,000. In Indiana, Hendricks was defeated for Governor in '68 by 961 votes, and is now elected by about 10,000 majority. The recent election in Connecticut show large Liberal gains throughout the State. In our own State,—like Pennsylvania, where proven crime was no bar to Executive preferment on the part of the party in power,—we succumb to an ill-got triumph for the corruptionists. Had all the Liberal Republicans and Democrats done their duty, this deplorable result would not have obtained. Scores of Democrats in nearly every county refrained from voting; notwithstanding which we have made great inroads upon the successful party, reducing their majorities in many counties, and carrying others, against the overwhelming power of official patronage and the free and corrupt use of money. Whatever may be the result in this State, the election of Greeley is assured. The recent election in Georgia, giving an unprecedented and unlooked-for Liberal majority, makes certain 135 Electoral votes for Greeley from the Southern States, and with reasonable certainty we can add to them New York, Connecticut, New Hampshire, New Jersey, Indiana, Nevada, and California—with 70 votes—making a total of 205, or 20 more than is necessary to elect; we also have a fair seventy-seven chance in Ohio and Illinois. To secure these ends, the friends of Reform must see that the criminal conduct of the leaders of the dominant party is rebuked through the ballot-box. Freemen of Nebraska! as you value the liberties the father left to us, as an inheritance, arouse and labor unceasingly in the discharge of your whole duty, and thus aid in restoring to the administration of the Government in its original purity—harmonious in all its parts—administered with honesty and economy.

E. A. ALLEN,
Chairman Liberal State Central Committee.

SMOKING IN THE STREET-CARS.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: I fully indorse the denunciation, in a recent number of your paper, against that intolerable nuisance, smoking in our street-cars, and I cannot see why the practice is allowed. The owners of the cars evidently deem it a nuisance, as they have made an attempt, by means of notices posted up, to confine the smokers to "the three rear seats." But why, I ask, permit an offensive practice on any part of the cars? Others besides smokers are often obliged to get on the rear seats, and among them, frequently, ladies have to sit, when the other seats happen to be filled; and, as your smoker knows no sex different to their presence, puffs away self-complacently, sending a small cloud occasionally in their faces. But more; the limited prohibition is constantly violated, and men may be seen any day, with their cigars and pipes, on any of the seats. I was forced, a short time ago, to leave a one-horse car on State street, to avoid inhaling the smoke and odor of an inferior cigar which a fellow was puffing by my side.

I once saw a lady on one of "the three rear seats" between two smokers. Well, she grinned and bore the insult for some time, but at length made her escape by betaking herself to another part of the car, when a seat had become vacant. I will not attempt to describe what manner of men your car-smokers are, but one thing is certain: they are *not gentlemen*, for the distinguishing mark of a gentleman is deference to others, and of this your car-smoker is utterly devoid. That the great mass of those who ride on the cars should suffer annoyance by the few who smoke is simply an outrage, and I, for one, hereby enter my protest against it. I have heard ladies declare that they had abandoned the cars in consequence of the indulgence allowed to smokers.

It is only a few minutes that men remain in the cars, and they surely would not suffer by keeping their pipes and cigars out of their mouths for that short time. The car-companies should at once issue a strict rule prohibiting the practice, and I feel persuaded they would be the gainers in the receipt of nickels, and, moreover, receive the thanks of the public.

A SUFFERER.

CHICAGO, Oct. 22, 1872.

DENVER, COL.

DENVER, Col., Oct. 12, 1872.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: I herewith give you a statement of the financial condition of our county and city, with the assessment rolls for 1871 and 1872:

Valuation of property assessed in 1871	$9,160,869.00
Levy for County, Territory, School, and railroad taxes, 2 per cent	183,397.38
Amount collected on same	181,421.45

The above shows a delinquency, which has been occasioned by the taxing of lands granted to railroads, and also of our National Banks, of which taxes our laws would not warrant collection, and the same were, therefore, abated.

The total valuation of city property proper for 1871 was	$6,670,742.00
Levy, 7 mills, amounting to	46,695.19
Amount collected on same	32,301.98

which also leaves a delinquency, most of which, however, is available, and can be collected.

Our county valuation, as per assessment roll for 1872,—which is not as yet quite complete,—will amount to $11,000,000 or $12,000,000, and our city will amount to over $7,000,000.

Our County, School, and Interest on Railroad Bond tax (which levy has not as yet been made) will not amount to more than 18 or 20 mills, and our city 8 mills; which, altogether, putting it high, will not be more than 2 9-10 per cent. We have no Territorial tax this year, as we have now money enough in the Treasury to pay our debts for the next year.

Our county owes about $490,000 railroad bonds, of which we are retiring more or less each year. Our floating county debt proper will amount to $20,000 or $30,000, which will be paid off in taxes this year.

I think this shows well for this barren, isolated county, as it is looked upon. Our city will, I think, show a population of 10,000 or 12,000 inhabitants; our streets are well lighted with gas; we have the Holly water works, and a street railroad in full operation, and, taking all in all, I think we have a good and prosperous Territory.

A WHISKEY SUIT.

Liquor Destroyed to Prevent its Falling into the Hands of Indians.

From the St. Louis Republican, Oct. 18.

A suit was brought in the St. Louis Circuit Court at the October term by the owners of the steamer Flirt, George J. Hazlett, Hiram K. Hazlett, and Joseph H. Coon against Durfee & Peck, owners of Fort Peck, a large Indian trading post. The post is situated at the junction of Milk River with the Missouri, in Montana Territory, about 500 miles below Fort Benton. The same parties are also owners of a line of steamers, carrying their own goods.

The plaintiffs allege that early in October, 1871, the steamer Flirt, bound for Fort Benton with a cargo of goods, on arriving at Fort Peck, found it impossible to proceed further on account of the low stage of the water, and that the boat put in shore at that point and unloaded 63 barrels of whiskey, 50 10-gallon kegs of the same liquor, 30 cans of alcohol, and 5 barrels of bottled ale, and left the same

will be paid to modern languages; more will be devoted to English literature and esthetics; the physical sciences will be so as to keep pace with the scientific and material progress of the age; probably less attention than in other colleges will be given to mathematics, but more to ethics and to physics; facilities are to be afforded for the pursuit of special studies, and, to sum up, the system of training will be such as to develop women to become teachers, not only in our public schools, Bible classes, and institutions, but also in our highest institutions of learning; to become writers also, not only of articles for the daily and weekly press, but also of standard books. This is a grand scheme, which if it is safe to say will never be accomplished until the present available funds are increased several fold. We should require $2,000,000 in hand would be as little as we could afford reasonable promise of its successful management in this generation. It is easy enough to show up the scheme of a college on paper; to establishing colleges is another matter. We should be heartily glad to see such a college in Massachusetts, but to represent or imply that it can be done with $350,000, even if that sum were given for the purpose, is too preposterous. On the subject of founding new colleges, President White, of Cornell University, could tell those who have this matter in charge some valuable results of experience.

PERSONAL.

Alphonse Karr has in his library the skull of his once lady-love, and that of a servant girl notorious for robbing him.

—Judge John C. McKenny, of Dayton, Ohio, has resigned, and the Governor has appointed David L. Meeker, of Greene County, in his place.

—C. E. Delaney, clerk in the naval service at Kittery, Me., lately dead, had no hands, but he wrote rapidly, holding the pen between his wrists.

—Miss Ella Garretson and Miss Neanie Butler, of Muscatine, Ia., are gone on a tour through Europe, unembarrassed and unaccompanied by the hired man.

—Pere Hyacinthe advises all men to marry. One who has long served in the harness remarks: "He has only been married three months."

—Renan is coming to this country early in January. His "Life of Christ" and other works have made for him many admirers on this side of the water.

—Stephen T. Farwell, of Cambridge, Mass., formerly member of the State Senate, for many years a Deacon of the Shepard Congregational Society, and recently General Agent of the American Bible Society, died on Sunday, aged 68 years.

—Edmund Winston Henry, the younger son and last of the sons of Patrick Henry, died on the 11th inst., at his late residence in the County of Charlotte, Va., in the 70th year of his age. It was not been long since we were called upon to record the demise of several of his contemporaries in the same county—Paul and Henry Carrington, John Marshall, and his brother, Judge Logan.

—Olive Logan, in her new lecture, speaks of the poor rewards of literary labor, and says: "Half the labor I have put into my book, in which I have been most unmercifully criticised, would have secured me a fortune in the millinery line." We don't see that it is yet too late for her to go into the millinery business. Besides the modern Solomon) is a good millinery man—we forget what.

—John P. Brace, formerly Principal of the Hartford Female Seminary, and afterward for many years, until 1861, the principal editor of the Hartford *Courant*, died at his home in Litchfield, on Friday, aged 78 years. He has been in retirement and comparative idleness since he left the *Courant*, and for several years past an invalid. His son, Mr. Charles L. Brace, of New York, is better known than the father for his leadership in practical city charities, for various books, and for his editorial writing on the New York *Times*.

GENERAL NEWS ITEMS.

Dr. Henry C. Priest, County Clerk, died of consumption, Md., Oct. 20, of an overdose of morphine.

The foundations of the new Lindell House, St. Louis, are being laid, and workmen will in two weeks lay the first floor.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hill, of Geneva, N. Y., died recently from congestion of the stomach, produced by a piece of cloth four inches square she had swallowed.

Bishop Quintard, of Tennessee, has appointed Friday, the 20th of December next, as a day of intercession to the Lord of the harvest for an increased supply of missions.

Under date of January next, the Chicago and Michigan Railroad will have over 250 miles of road in successful operation.

A Wisconsiner has invented a bedstead with partition, intended to protect sleepers from each other's baleful breath. In families where twins are regularly consumed, the invention will be a prepaid sume golden opinions.

The Annual Convention of the Merchants of the United States will assemble in St. Louis the 20th of next month, pursuant to adjournment at Baltimore last fall.

The management of the Grand Trunk Railway having determined to adopt the standard Canadian gauge, the section from Port Huron to Detroit will be first changed, and then will follow also. The matter has been so planned as to interfere but slightly with the traffic of the season, and is expected to have the job completed by the 1st of next June.

The Corcoran's jury in the case of Henry Armstrong, found dead in his door-yard in Washington, on the 5th inst., have rendered a verdict to the effect that he came to his death by a pistol shot wound at the hand of some unknown man. The case has gone to the Grand Jury, which will make further investigation. Mr. Armstrong told a plain, consistent story from beginning to end, which a rigid cross-examination failed to confuse, and her evidence, as well as that of her children, is strongly corroborated the evidence which she had given.

The Geneva (N. Y.) *Gazette* relates the story of a young man named George Waters, who, it is stated, was assisted by the late William H. Seward and Theodore M. Pomeroy, of Auburn, in his college honors to Hobart College, and then to Yale. He went to California, made a fortune or two fortunes, and finally located a saw-mill claim at Shelbourne, Nev. When it was time to him he engaged a man named Sowerd to run the mill. Mr. Seward, a former benefactions, Seward and Pomeroy, in remembrance of their early kindness. The latter goes that the lucky miner has sold his property for $400,000, while the mill alone has been worth $40,000 has been paid to the credit of Messrs. Seward and Pomeroy.

J. P. Siddall, of Indianapolis, was arrested on Saturday morning, on charge of producing abortion. He furnished bail in the sum of $5,000.

A ponderous opera glasses of twenty inches have again come into fashion, superseding the delicate lorgnettes we have been using.

There is on exhibition before the State Horticultural Society, at Bowen, the cane with which Henry Brooks was killed. Charles Sumner, the head of which is not mentioned. It is of solid and heavy, with a carved ivory and it inclosses a substantial sword or dagger of steel.

Colonel DeGraff, who builds railroads in Dakota, employs a force of about 4,000 men. Several lines under contract. In addition to Dakotan force there are also 1,100 teams and 1,100 scrapers. The Winona & St. Peter Road will be completed to the State line by the 5th of November, and to Lake Campeska before the close of the month.

A same girl who had not for fourteen years left the third-story back room in which she was born, was among those who participated in the children's excursion in Philadelphia. When she got to the park, she asked what the grass and trees were, and had to be told the names of the most common objects. She lay on the grass and looked, inhaling in the air and sunshine, and was heard to weep softly every little while from pure joy.

Hung Until Dead on the Back of a Chair.

From the Knoxville (Tenn.) Press, Oct. 12.

Wm Sands and his wife are poor people living on Copper Ridge, Union County, Tenn. Yesterday last, they couple had three children, the youngest being an infant about 1 year old. Mr. and Mrs. Sands went out that day to gather wood near the house to bind fodder, leaving the children, the youngest of whom was about 3 years of age, in the house. In a few minutes Mrs. Sands returned, and upon entering to feed the infant, found the baby had climbed up on a chair—dead. It is supposed that the baby had climbed up on a chair to get something to eat, and in getting down again from the chair, which, as the infant fell, caught in the projecting upright at the back of the chair, which, as the infant fell, caught in the projecting upright at the back of the chair, which, as the infant fell, caught in the projecting upright at the back of

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Sixth District (Wards 16, 17, 19, and 20)—Senator: HENRY E. HAMILTON. Representatives: W. C. McCLURE, OTTO PELTZER.
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Coroner—RODNEY N. DAY.
County Clerk—JEREMIAH J. CROWLEY.
Circuit Clerk—GEORGE F. BLANKIE.
Recorder—ST. CLAIR SUTHERLAND.
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AMUSEMENTS THIS EVENING.

McVICKER'S THEATRE—Madison street, between State and Dearborn. Revival of B. G. Howard's so med "Saratoga."

HOOLEY'S OPERA HOUSE—Randolph street, between Clark and LaSalle. Abbott-Kiralfy troupe. "Three Hunchbacks."

ACADEMY OF MUSIC—Halsted street, near Madison. Mrs. F. S. Chanfrau. The French version of "East Lynne."

AIKEN'S THEATRE—Wabash avenue and Congress street. Mrs. Oates' Burlesque Troupe, "Prima Donna of a Night."

MYERS' OPERA HOUSE—Monroe street, between State and Dearborn. Arlington, Cotton & Kemble's Minstrel and Burlesque Company.

GLOBE THEATRE—Desplaines, between Madison and Washington streets. Variety Entertainment; burlesque, ballet, minstrelsy.

NIXON'S—Clinton street, between Washington and Randolph. Maffitt and Bartholomew Pantomime Troupe.

HALSTED STREET OPERA HOUSE—Corner of Harrison street. McEvoy's Hibernicon, and Irish Comedy Company.

The Chicago Tribune.

Thursday Morning, October 24, 1872.

A large colony of Alsatians is to settle in Virginia.

There was no ground, it is asserted, for the recent panic with regard to the Freedmen's Savings Bank, in Washington, as it has no less than four millions on deposit.

Of the 377,701 votes cast in Indiana, at the last election for Governor, the Straight-out Democrats polled 130, which is one-thirtieth of one per cent.

Orders for several hundred thousand tons of coal for India, South America, and the West Indies, originally given England, have been transferred to Maryland, which is now shipping direct to those points.

Emperor William has not yet affixed his signature to his award in the San Juan matter, which, it is said, he has decided in favor of the claims of the United States. England, through her Berlin Minister, Odo Russell, is seeking to delay and thwart the judgment.

The stringency of money in Chicago, as well as throughout the Northwest, continues. High freights to the East leave the producer almost nothing for his labor with which to pay debts. In this, and also in most other Western cities, bank-deposits have been greatly diminished within the last three weeks, and the ability of the banks to help the mercantile community has been diminished in proportion.

Under cover of Federal authority, United States Commissioner Davenport has undertaken to regulate the coming State election in New York. Yesterday, a citizen, who refused to answer the questions of one of his deputies, was arrested without warrant, and amerced in heavy bail. Davenport is said to have announced his intention to reduce the vote of New York City to 120,000.

By vote of the Board of Trustees, yesterday, Rev. C. H. Fowler, of this city, has been called to the Presidency of the Northwestern University, made vacant by the recent resignation of Rev. E. O. Haven, D. D. The position is one of great responsibility and trust, and the selection made will be widely approved. Dr. Fowler was one of the earliest graduates of the institution of which he is now made President.

A report has been going the rounds of the press to the effect that the Chicago & Northwestern Railway is about to be consolidated with the Chicago & Canada Southern and the Toledo, Wabash & Western, all of which are to be operated in conjunction with the Midland Railway of New York. The officers of the Northwestern Railway, in this city, deny any knowledge of such proposed consolidation.

The *Illinois Staats Zeitung* comes very near overstepping the line which separates a truly loyal paper from a traitorous Copperhead sheet. In its issue of yesterday it urges its readers to vote for no candidate for the Legislature, or for Alderman, who does not declare explicitly that if elected he will vote for the repeal of the existing Temperance law and the Sunday law. "Vote only for those candidates," it says, "who return an unequivocal satisfactory answer, whether they be Republicans or Democrats."

In his speech on Tuesday evening Mr. Pendleton reached the full dignity of the occasion when he said: "I do not expect, if Greeley were elected, that he would give us a partisan Democratic Administration. I should not respect him if he did. It would not be consistent with the spirit of the movement which will carry him into power. He has promised that he will restore peace and fraternal good feeling to all of our people. He has promised that he will give us sound Civil Service Reform, that he will introduce honor and honesty into the administration of the Government, and I say, gentlemen and Democrats, it is folly for us to refuse to accept this because we cannot get more."

Fifty cases of the horse-disease were discovered yesterday in the stables of the West Side Horse Railway Company, on Wabash avenue. Only three cases have proved fatal. The disease is now raging through Canada and Western New York, and has now reached Boston and New York City, where, in one stable, one thousand horses were disabled in twenty-four hours, and in another, two hundred in four hours. Since Monday, seven thousand have been attacked. On the Third Avenue Railroad, two thousand are affected. A great panic prevails among the stables, although few deaths have occurred. It has caused a further advance in freights on the Erie Canal. To escape the disease horses have been removed in large numbers from the line of the canal, and is feared that there will be difficulty in getting horse-power for towing the boats.

The discoveries of frauds in the Pennsylvania election are so numerous that it seems impossible and almost superfluous to count them. The presiding genius of this gigantic iniquity was Simon Cameron, about whom the House of Representatives, April 30, 1862, under the lead of Elihu B. Washburne and Henry L. Dawes, and by a vote of 79 to 45, entered this minute upon its journal: "*Resolved*, That Simon Cameron, late Secretary of War, by investing Alexander Cummings with control of large sums of the public money and authority to purchase military supplies without restriction, without requiring from him any guarantee for the faithful performance of his duties, when the services of competent public officers were available, and by involving the Government in a vast number of contracts with persons not legitimately engaged in the business pertaining to the subject matter of such contracts, especially in the purchase of arms for future delivery, has adopted a policy highly injurious to the public service, *and deserves the censure of the House.*"

During the years 1868 and '69 the number of persons who pleaded guilty, and who were convicted in the Recorder's Court, was 1,189. Of these convictions, five were for gaming. One hundred and fifty-seven were tried and acquitted. During the same period three hundred and forty-seven *nolle prosequis* were entered. Of this last number one hundred and one were entered after the bail in each had been forfeited,—the aggregate amount of which was $58,850. Among the sureties on the bonds in this last list of cases were L. L. Bond, E. S. Taylor, Richard Clark, Wm. A. (Bolivar) Reed, Hugh Reed, Geo. Powell, Conrad Folz, A. Van Buren, Francis Warren. Among the *nolle prosequis* 23 were for burglary, 149 for larceny, 6 for rape, and 23 for receiving stolen goods. On the 20th of December, 1869, a resolution was passed by the Common Council calling for a report from the Clerk of the Recorder's Court of the number of forfeited recognizances during the years 1868 and '69, and the amounts collected by the State's Attorney. During that period, and up to that date, judgments had been entered in seven cases. On the 21st of the same month the State's Attorney took judgment in forty-eight more. We furnish these facts from the record with a view of affording an opportunity for explanation.

The Chicago produce markets were generally firmer and more active, yesterday, though the interruption to towage on the Erie Canal, due to the prevalence of the horse-disease, tended to reduce the prices of grain. Mess pork was firm, at $15.00 cash, and $12.75 seller December. Lard was dull, at 7¼@7¾c for winter, and 7¼@7¾c for summer rendered. Meats were quiet and steady, at 6@6¼c for shoulders, and 10@10¼c for short ribs. Highwines were in good demand and firm, closing at 88½c bid. Lake freights were quiet and steady, at Tuesday's decline, at 15c for corn to Buffalo. Flour was dull and steady. Wheat was more active, and advanced 2@3c, closing easier, at $1.10 cash, and $1.07½ seller November. Corn was in good demand, and was ¾c higher, closing at 30¾c seller the month, and 31½c seller November. Oats were quiet and tame, closing dull at 21c seller the month, and 21⅝c seller November. Rye was quiet and firm at 50½c. Barley was active and strong, closing at 63c for No. 2, and 47½c for No. 3. The hog market was quiet and closed weak at 10c decline, $4.20@4.55 being the closing rates. In the cattle market there was no change, trade continuing dull at former prices. Sheep were more active, and firm.

THE SECOR FRAUD.

Mr. Trumbull, in his speech at Cairo, disposed of Speaker Blaine's quasi defence of the investigation of the great fraud committed by the Navy Department in the Secor claim. The facts relating to that Secor case ought not to be forgotten. In the year 1862, the Messrs. Secor contracted to build three war vessels for the sum of $1,880,000. In their construction there was some alteration, for which the Secors asked $521,196 extra. They were paid in full, both the original price and the charge for extras, amounting to $1,901,196. This was in 1864, and the Secor accounts were closed. In 1865, the Secors asked Congress for an additional allowance, which Congress refused. A resolution was passed, however, directing a Board of Naval Officers to inquire how much vessels of war contracted for in 1862,-'63 cost the contractors over and above the contract price and allowance. This Board, in 1866, made a report including a great many cases, and among others reported in favor of paying the Secors $119,020. This report was rejected by Congress; and in March, 1867, a law was passed, directing the Secretary to investigate the claims of all contractors for building vessels of war prior to 1864, and ascertain and report the additional cost which was necessarily incurred by reason of any changes in plans and delays occasioned by the Government, which were not provided for in the original contract, deducting therefrom whatever sums had been paid the contractors over and above the contract price. The report under this investigation allowed the Secors $115,-539. Upon this report Congress, in July, 1868, appropriated the money to pay the Secors and others the sums found due them,—adding thereto, "which shall be in full discharge of all claims against the United States on account of said vessels." The Secors were paid this money. There were forty contractors having claims of the same kind as the Secors, all of whom were paid in the same manner.

After Mr. George W. Robeson became Secretary of the Navy, he, without authority of law, appointed a new Board to investigate the claim of Secor alone. He gave orders to open the original claim of the Secors, which had been closed in the Department for over five years, and which had again been closed by the act of Congress. The Board found that one Miles Greenwood, who had built a vessel of the same kind built by the Secors, had been paid $93,000 more for extras than the Secors had received; and the Secretary of the Navy at once, without any authority of law or any appropriation of money by Congress, drew his order on the Treasury for that sum, and paid it over to the Secors. The money to pay the Secors was taken from a fund appropriated by Congress to pay the current expenses of the Navy Department.

The fraud in this case was, that the whole contract price and bill for extras was paid by the Department in 1864, and the account closed, the Department having, by law, no further control over it; that Congress subsequently voted an additional sum to forty contractors, including the Secors; that the law appropriated the precise sum to be paid to each, and stipulating that it was in full of all claims on account of those vessels. The Navy Department, without further legislation, had no more power to allow or pay the Secors any more money than had the Comptroller of the City of Chicago. That the Secretary, singling out the Secors from the forty contractors, not only opened their case, but allowed them $93,000, on the plea that Congress had given some other contractor more than it had the Secors. That the Secretary had no legal authority to use money, appropriated by Congress for one purpose, for another and very different purpose, and could not legally pay any money without the direction of Congress and a specific appropriation therefor. That Congress was in session when he paid this money, and it was within his power to have asked the needed legislation and appropriation if he had chosen to do so.

That is the history of the Secor fraud, which is destined to stand, for all time to come, as the first precedent or an established fraud to which a member of the President's Cabinet was an active party, and of which he was fully cognizant. In no other age of the Republic, and under no other Administration, would the Cabinet officer, guilty of such an act, be retained an hour. For far less palpable, but perhaps in the aggregate greater, frauds, Mr. Lincoln dismissed Simon Cameron from the War Department without notice or even explanation.

THE CANADIAN HORSE-DISEASE.

The alarmingly virulent disease, which is now raging among the horses in many of the large cities of the country, is spreading with such rapidity that it has become a matter of the gravest importance, and one which should command the immediate attention of all owners of horses, and especially of the veterinary surgeons. Its spread has become so rapid, that it may be termed an epidemic, and its results are fatal in such a brief time, as to almost paralyze the business of some cities. It seems to have originated in Toronto, where it broke out with such violence that, in an incredibly short space of time, the hacks, horse-cars, and all drayage business were brought to an abrupt stand-still. The disease seemed to make no exceptions. The best-attended horses in that city, such as those of the Fire Brigade, were seized with it; but as the rule of the disease seems to be that the fatality is greatest among horses not properly cared for, the Fire Commissioners ordered that these horses should be taken back to their stables as soon as they had reached a fire, and remain there, blanketed, until it was necessary to bring the steamers back. In this manner many of them were saved. From Toronto, the disease spread with alarming rapidity to Montreal on the one side and Western New York on the other. Each morning's news announces its appearance in new places. From Niagara Falls, where it was very violent, leaving hardly a sound horse, it spread to Rochester, soon causing an almost entire suspension of business which was dependent upon horses, such as horse-car travel and railroad freightage. From Rochester it spread west and south. It soon reached Albany, and by railroad and canal mediums was not long in reaching New York City and Boston, where it has but just commenced to manifest itself. Westward, it travelled to Buffalo, where it has raged with extreme violence for the past few days. The *Commercial Advertiser* of the 21st says that nine out of ten horses in the city are affected by it. Nearly all the livery stable-keepers in the city have closed their barns temporarily, so that it is a matter of difficulty to obtain horses for funerals, and those which have turned out have been more or less diseased. The street railway and omnibus companies have ceased using their horses altogether, while the hackmen, cartmen, and expressmen are all similarly afflicted. It is rather remarkable that, while horses, both in the public and private stables of the city, are suffering alike, the canal horses have not caught the disease, and, according to the general testimony, it has not made its appearance at all among the horses or mules used for towing purposes. Having reached Buffalo, it is certain that it must also reach Detroit and Chicago, notwithstanding the order of the Secretary of the Treasury, forbidding the importation of horses from Canada into Michigan. The disease has anticipated the order, and is already in the United States, advancing in all directions; and, while the official prohibition may serve to mitigate its ravages, there is little hope that it can prevent its appearance here, and that speedily. It may be well, therefore, for owners of horses in this city to understand the nature of the disease, the treatment of the horse under sickness, and the remedies which have thus far been used with success. According to the Toronto papers, the disease is a kind of catarrhal fever of an epizootic nature, the result of some atmospheric influence, as is shown by the fact that it appears in various places at once, and attacks horses of all conditions, whether old or young, strong or weak. The best veterinary surgeons term it *epizootic influenza*. The premonitory symptoms are dulness, a staring coat, and a watery discharge from the nose. Those are followed by a sore throat, slight swelling of the glands, loss of appetite, a severe hacking cough, with a discharge of brownish yellow matter from the nostrils, a quickened pulse and respiration, feebleness and yellowness of the eyes, and an unnatural coldness of the ears and legs. The respiratory organs are the principal parts affected, but the disease, being a blood poison, any animal which has had previous diseases affecting certain organs will be sure to show a derangement of these organs, when attacked by the influenza. Concerning the remedies, the London (C. W.) *Free Press* says:

With medicine given by advice of a surgeon, the following treatment will, it is said, hardly fail to effect a cure or prevent the progress of the disease, or the taking of it. The horses quite well or slightly affected should not be taken out in wet weather, and if they have to be so, should be warmly covered. Affected animals should be kept in a well-ventilated stable and fed upon hot soft food easily digested, such as linseed tea, oatmeal gruel, and boiled oats or barley. The appetite of invalids should be tempted by carrots, apples, or any other delicacy our sick quadruped friend is known to have a failing for. In all stables a carbolic disinfectant should be liberally used.

One of the Toronto papers adds the following suggestions to the above:

Although this disease must necessarily prove a great loss and annoyance to the community generally, we do not think it is likely to be of a fatal character when ordinary care and rational treatment are adopted. In several instances the attack has been severe, but generally increased by overwork, or some other debilitating influence. As the disease will run a certain course, affected animals should be carefully used, and allowed plenty of pure air, with a liberal diet of nourishing and easily-digested food. The stables should be well aired daily and thoroughly ventilated; and it is also advisable to use disinfectants, as chloride of lime or carbolic acid. When the throat is very sore, causing a difficulty in swallowing, a mild embrocation should be applied, and the fever allayed by mild febrifuge medicine.

Forewarned is forearmed. The veterinary surgeons and owners of horses in this city cannot be on their guard too promptly. Chicago is more dependent upon horses to-day than any other city in the Union. The literally immense tide of street travel and the necessity for the use of large numbers of horses in our building operations, in addition to the ordinary demand for purposes of personal pleasure and convenience, are such that an interruption at the present time must necessarily work very serious results. Those who own horses, therefore, should take extra precautions, by not overworking them, and giving them the best of care and stabling, especially in damp days. "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure."

PROSPECTS OF PEACE IN EUROPE.

The Berlin correspondent of the *Nation*, who seems to have good sources of information, believes that the recent meeting of the three Emperors of Germany, Russia, and Austria had the sole object of securing to Europe a long term of peace. The conclusion is more reasonable than that at which the French and English journalists arrived, after having failed to find in the conference anything directly threatening to their own interests. The latter profess the belief that the meeting had no political significance whatever; but it is highly probable that, if this had been the case, there would not have been so much care exercised over the German and Russian press to suppress all accounts of the interviews.

The construction of a peace-conference, informal in its nature, but as binding, perhaps, as if it had a more definite shape, is certainly a gratifying interpretation of the Emperors' meeting. First comes Germany, who, in the person of Emperor William, is in the most favorable condition for suggesting and promoting a plan for a more lasting peace than Europe can ordinarily contemplate. Satisfied with its conquests, united in its possessions, concentrated in its territory, and assured of prosperity in the power of its Government and the patriotism of its people, Germany can have no desire for war and nothing to gain by it. The nationalization of the provinces of Alsace and Lorraine, so long in dispute, has gratified a cherished ambition, and contributed largely to the revenues and resources of the nation. In an international effort to assure a European peace, therefore, the Empire of Germany would naturally take the first step. The Empire of Austria could scarcely refuse its co-operation in such a movement, when its more powerful neighbor suggested it, even if it were so disposed. The lesson of Sadowa is not so old as to have been forgotten. Since the time of Sadowa, too, the German Empire has assumed a position and a strength in inverse proportion to the decline of Francis Joseph's power. The Hungarian element in the Austrian Government has steadily developed as it has abandoned the idea of a separate Government and conformed to constitutional rule. This element naturally sides with the German Empire in every effort to maintain a general peace, so long as it can shape the Government of the Austrian Empire to its own best interests. There are equally good reasons why Russia should willingly unite in the peace project. It has no fear of German encroachments upon its own territory. The tendency of Prussian acquisition has been in the other direction. Russia cannot regard this with anything like envy or suspicion. If she can retain the complete and undisputed sovereignty of all the Russias, she will have territory enough and people enough to be entirely indifferent to the growth of other nations.

It is undoubtedly true that the personal feelings of monarchs enters largely into their actions determining the relations of their Governments. In this respect, the story is told that the present Emperor of Russia celebrated the German victory at Sedan in the most hilarious fashion,—breaking the glass from which he drank his congratulations, ordering his companions to do likewise, and then causing the entire mass of broken Bohemian ware to be moulded into one large goblet, which is appropriately marked "Sedan." The Russian Emperor is also said to be possessed of a great respect for his successful uncle of Germany, heightened by the latter's victory over a nation for which he has had little sympathy since a French jury merely condemned his would-be assassin in the Bois de Boulogne to nothing more than penal servitude for life. Emperors are as susceptible to personal likes and dislikes as other people. If the three most potent ones in Christendom are, for any reason, now turned in the direction of peace, not only their own subjects but the whole world has cause for rejoicing.

SMALL-POX IN ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis has got something in which she will find no other city desirous to compete with her, and that is the small-pox. The *Missouri Democrat* of the 22d contains a detailed statement of its ravages, which shows that this disease has assumed painful proportions. The records of the Board of Health show that it began to be alarming about the first of September, and has steadily increased from that date. The transcript shows the following increase during the past six weeks, principally in the Eighth and Ninth Wards:

Week ending	Cases reported.
September 7	39
September 14	61
September 21	93
September 28	110
October 5	146
October 12	121
October 19	197
Total	737

This shows an average increase of a little over 105 per week. Last week, 201 cases were reported, showing a daily increase until Sunday, when there was a slight falling off. The average mortality has been about 47 per week, or about 30 per cent of the cases reported. The *Democrat* states that the district in which the disease is worst is bounded by Broadway, Twelfth street, Washington avenue, and Ferry street, where there are numerous filthy hovels and overcrowded tenements, and where the people are thrown together without a chance for fresh air or sunlight.

In connection with the statement, we regret to see the following unnecessary fling at Chicago in the *Democrat*:

Dr. O'Brien gave very sensible reasons for the position he assumed, but finally gave way before the reporter's persistency, and reluctantly assumed the responsibility of disclosing the books. He spoke of the jealous eyes with which Chicago and a place called Cincinnati regard the progress St. Louis had made, and thought that the publication of any disaster to our city would gratify those resorts with delight. This is very probable, but it will also have the effect, benemations out of this city, bring Chicagoans and Cincinnatians out of this city, bring Chicagoans and Cincinnatians with the sorrow that the press of trouble is sowing in our midst. As for Chicago, no one that virtuous city will remember the degree of warmth which she was on one occasion subjected, the piteous cries she raised for assistance, and the promptness with which St. Louis answered.

The inference which the *Democrat* draws,—and especially the manner in which it is drawn,—that because St. Louis is afflicted with the small-pox, therefore Chicago is rejoicing, is unworthy of that paper, and we are loth to believe is shared by the people of that city in general. Chicago has been heavily afflicted with fire and with the same scourge which is now ravaging St. Louis. They have taught her no other lessons than to bear evils patiently, to struggle through them with such energy and courage as she can, and to sympathize with those similarly afflicted. The sentiment we have quoted, whether it be the *Democrat's* or Dr. O'Brien's, deserves a severe rebuke for its gratuitous fling at Chicago, and the severest rebuke we can administer is to assure the people, and especially the merchants of St. Louis, that Chicago entertains no feelings of jealousy towards them, and hopes that their city may now be relieved from its affliction, and trade resume its usual proportions. We shall neither forget the generous conduct of St. Louis at the time of the Great Fire, nor be unmindful of the ordinary promptings of humanity.

A shrewd Frenchman, M. Linton by name, has discovered a plan of utilizing electricity which will commend itself to all owners of frisky horses, addicted to running away. The application of the electricity is in the hands of the driver, and he can at once give his fractious animals a charge of it sufficient not only to surprise them, but to shock them and bring them to a dead halt. Where the driver would go to, after this sudden halt, or what sort of a tangential arc he would describe, is not stated, and is, perhaps, immaterial, as long as the horses are stopped.

This novel form of electrical application is specially valuable in the suggestions it offers. For instance, a man comes home at night tired out with the day's business, and finds his wife cross and petulant and disposed to lecture him after the manner of Mrs. Caudle. He immediately applies the electrical current and reduces her to silence. Or a man comes home from the lodge, in the small hours, the worse for liquor; and is disposed to be quarrelsome or silly; the wife instantly applies a charge of electricity to him, silences him for the remainder of the night, turns over and goes to sleep again. Dr. Holmes, in his "Poet at the Breakfast Table," silences the boarders when they grow garrulous, with a pellet from "that boy's" pop-gun. Electricity, however, would be much more effective. A long-winded speaker at a political or temperance or prayer meeting could be choked off at any instant and placed *hors de combat* for the rest of the evening. It would be worth cartloads of gavels to a presiding officer. In an excited debate, where a dozen men are on their feet at a time, he could silence the whole of them in the most shocking manner. The uses of electricity in this way might be multiplied *ad infinitum*. Gilmore long ago discovered how much musical noise could be made with cannons and bells, fired with electricity; but a greater than Gilmore has arisen in this ingenious Frenchman, who has taught the world how to apply the poultice of silence to the blows of sound. Anyone who will tend to reduce the amount of noise in the world deserves praise and encouragement, and as such, M. Linton is a public benefactor, and deserves to have his name handed down to posterity side by side with that of Franklin.

According to the statement of some Communist prisoners at Port Louis, in a letter to the Paris *Corsaire*, the Thiers Government has hit upon a cheap substitute for the rather expensive transportation of condemned Communists to distant pestilential colonies. A first-class pestilential colony has been established in the hospital of St. Louis. Three of the prisoners have already died from want of care. Tent-canvas is the economical bed-linen in use in that institution. Their bill of fare consists of dry vegetables, and, when this unwholesome diet has had the desired effect, the inmates are removed to the sick ward, where they are finished off with pills of aloes and bismuth, which have the two-fold effect of being deadly and cheap. No attention is paid by the Minister of the Interior to the complaints addressed to him. President Thiers, for one who professes a Republican faith, shows very unsatisfactory Republican works in the shooting at the Satory, the exile of invalids to fever-nests like New Calabria, the conversion of hospitals into pest-houses, and the expulsion of probable rivals like Prince Napoleon.

A recent work on minority representation, written by Mr. Salem Dutcher, groups together many valuable facts. It shows, by a series of statistics, that, under the present system, two men in every five are practically disfranchised. That is, their votes effect nothing. "Fifty-eight (58) per cent of the voters secure all the representation, and forty-eight (48) per cent have none." To prove this, Mr. Dutcher gives several tables, which we combine into the following:

CONGRESS.	VOTES. Rep.	Dem.	MEMBERSHIP. Proportional. R.	D.	Actual. R.	D.
XL	3,179,645	1,895,928	107	84	142	49
XLI	3,477,245	2,890,168	127	115	139	83
XLII	2,786,547	2,726,500	123	119	136	106

Mr. Dutcher publishes, also, the following calculation of the number of votes needed to elect Representatives:

Congress.	Republican.	Democratic.
XL	16,350	37,263
XLI	19,989	34,930
XLII	20,469	35,723

These figures suggest a possible modification of the plan for securing minority representation by allowing every Representative to cast as many votes as were cast for him. This would still leave many voters unrepresented. Its chief value would be to give large constituencies their proper weight. Suppose, however, that this modification of it should be tried: After every election of a Legislature, divide the aggregate number of votes cast by each party by the number of Representatives elected, and let the quotient be the number of votes which each Representative is entitled to cast. This would make every vote in the State tell, and would, apparently, be absolutely fair.

A correspondent of the London *Morning Post* has discovered a new remedy for sea-sickness. He says that, "though peculiarly susceptible to the morbid influence of a tossing boat," he escapes sickness by "curteseying gently so as to time his movements to meet and oppose the motion of the vessel." To accomplish this it is only necessary "to bend the knees, but not so as to attract attention, or make one's self conspicuous." There is something grotesquely humorous in this correspondent's remedy. The *andante* movements of a cabin full of passengers in a long swell, the *allegrettos* in ordinary swells, the *prestissimos* in a storm, and the Wagnerish mixture of *tempos* in a chop sea, would combine to make up a dance movement more picturesque and exquisitating than all the Strausses combined could invent. We do not wish, however, to prejudice the remedy, which was evidently borrowed from the plan which an intoxicated man adopts to prevent the sidewalk from hitting him when it comes up.

It can scarcely be that the distribution of funds by the Administration party in Pennsylvania and Indiana, just prior to the late elections, could have any influence on the stringent state of the money market. It is true that these funds would naturally find their way among a non-commercial, though extremely mercantile class of people; but even with this fact, and the additional circumstance that the amount was very large, it must still be remembered that the money came from the politicians and their government connections, and we cannot conceive how the distribution could influence commercial interests one way or the other. We make this explanation for the benefit of those who think that the election of Greeley would tend to make money tight.

The Theological Seminary at Auburn, N. Y., has made an important movement in favor of Muscular Christianity, by establishing a bowling-alley in connection with the institution. Such sensible aids to the spread of religion are of such rare occurrence as to be worthy of notice. We are entirely safe in the prediction that the graduates from Auburn will soon command higher salaries than any of their less fortunate and more flaccid fellows, who graduate with large heads and soft muscles, and who never can get themselves into condition for a free fight with Satan. The size of the biceps has more to do with the inculcation of religious precepts than Theological Seminaries, as a rule, are willing to admit.

There will be a very general feeling of relief that Mr. Sergeant Bates, who proposes to carry the American flag from some place in Scotland to Guildhall, London, has sailed from New York, and is now on his way thither to carry out his plan. It is sincerely to be hoped that if the hard-headed Scotchmen clap him into an insane asylum no one in this country will be absurd enough to interfere and correct that very natural proceeding. The despairing remark of Macbeth, "Time was that when the brains were out the man would die," will derive new force from Sergeant Bates' Scottish journey.

Eight carpet-baggers and one native form the Custom House force at Pensacola, Fla. The imports are $6,548; the revenue thereon may be $2,500, and the aggregate salary of the nine is $12,480. These unbiased officials are lost in admiration of the economy of the present Administration, and can find no words to express their disgust with the "profligate Johnson," under whom but $4,674.88 was allotted to the purchase of voters in Pensacola.

POLITICAL.

The political situation in New York City, and the boast that, with Tweed's purchased influence for the Administration, Grant will carry the city, makes it worth while to recall the vote in recent elections:

	Democratic.	Republican.	Total.
1868. President	108,316	47,732	156,054
1869. Secretary of State	79,476	36,897	116,373
1870. Governor	86,053	34,301	120,359
1871. Secretary of State	83,326	54,137	137,463

—The candidates for Congress in New York are as follows:

	Liberal.		Republican.
		AT LARGE.	
Samuel S. Cox.			Lyman Tremain.
		BY DISTRICTS.	
1. James W. Covert.			Henry J. Scudder.
2. John G. Schumaker.			A. T. Perry.
3. William W. Goodrich.			Stewart L. Woodford.
4.			Phillip S. Crooke.
5. William B. Roberts.			
6. James Brooks.			
7.			Conrad Geib.
8.			John D. Lawson.
9. Michael Connolly.			David B. Mellish.
10. Fernando Wood.			William A. Darling.
11. Clarkson N. Potter.			Elban Flagg.
12. Charles H. Horton.			Charles St. John.
13. John O. Whitehouse.			John H. Ketchum.
14. David M. Dewitt.			John Maxwell.
15. Eli Perry.			Charles H. Adams.
16. Adin Thayer.			James S. Smart.
17. W. W. Hartwell.			Robert S. Hale.
18. William P. Cantwell.			William A. Wheeler.
19. Daniel B. Judson.			Henry H. Hathorn.
20. Hezekiah Sturgis.			David Wilber.
21. Beman Brockway.			Clinton L. Merriam.
22. Richard U. Sherman.			Ellis H. Roberts.
23. Henry A. Foster.			William E. Lansing.
24. Frank Hiscock.			R. Holland Duell.
25. William T. Graves.			Clinton L. MacDougall.
26. William M. White.			William H. Lamport.
27. Milo Goodrich.			T. C. Platt.
28. Stephen T. Hayt.			Horace B. Smith.
29. Roswell S. Burrows.			Freeman Clarke.
30. Mortimer M. Southworth			George G. Haskins.
31. William Williams.			Lyman K. Bass.
32. Charles D. Murray.			Walter L. Sessions.

—The four distinguished legal gentlemen who have volunteered to deliver New York from the plague of dishonest Legislators, are "catching it" in lively fashion from the New York papers.

—In the one hundred Greeley Clubs of New

that ex-Governor Fairchild has ... Consul to Liverpool to get ... way in the Senatorial contest.

—An Indiana correspondent says:

Since the election of a Grant Legislature, Colfax ... concluded to take the stump, and it is said for the ... purpose of going into the fight against Morton for ... Senate. It is known that a number of the Democratic ... elect are pledged to Colfax; and if he can secure ... votes, he will be elected. But at present he seems ... making the fight against Morton "inside the organization."

Another aspirant for the Indiana Senatorship is ... Dick Thompson, of Terre Haute.

—The Louisville *Courier-Journal* says:

The official majority for Mr. Hendricks was 1,143. ... the imported Kentucky negroes had been voted ... the State, it would have been 11,043. If the ... corruption fund had not been spent by the ... party, it would have been 30,000.

—The Indianapolis *Journal* gives an ... place to a correspondent, who reminds the ... ty in power that Will Cumback is deserving ... something.

—Mosby, the Virginia cavalryman, is ... ing for the election to Congress, in the Alexandria (Va.) District, of Daniels, the Yankee cavalryman.

—Hugh Hastings, of the New York ... cial Advertiser* (Grant), rather goes back ... General Frank Barlow, in his Erie retainer business, as witness the following:

The fact is, if any other man than General ... had used this money in the way it was used, a ... would be denounced by the *Post*, *Times*, *Nation*, and ... elect, as rank bribery. It is not pretended that ... men who received the money rendered service ... Court; it was paid for services rendered before ... Legislature, and Legislators generally, and ... "crossing the ice."

—General Nathan Kimball, D. C. Brad... and W. K. Edwards are all in the field for ... Speakership of the Wisconsin Legislature.

—The Cincinnati *Commercial* says:

The venerable father of the President, who ... speak by authority, recently stated that his son would not allow any subordinate civil officer to hold his place for a longer period than *eight years*. Perhaps this may be consoling to expectants, yet we would ... that the President is looking forward to a third term, or to an amendment of the Constitution by which the Executive, like the Judiciary, may be elected or appointed for life, or during good behavior?

—An incident is mentioned showing how the ... range of repeaters in the late so-called "election" in Philadelphia were protected in their infamous work. Early on election day it was noticed that drunken, swearing fellows, roughs, and loafing like house-breakers, ... the polls, claimed the names of ... clergymen on the registry and voted accordingly. ... the police and the Republican Committee ... ving to their identity and residence. They ... oted for Hartranft and the State Prison ... full. A tremendous scandal was stirred ... the mystery was explained, however, afterward, ... hen numerous complaints like the following ... were made before the authorities:

Two clergymen, the Rev. Drs. B. Grieg, and A. ... afterwards appeared before the Commissioner and ... eared that they had been refused voting, on the ... ound that other persons had voted on their names.

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

Personal.

The Board of Managers of the Philadelphia ... ouse of Correction, consisting of Samuel Wh... a, William A. Duff, J. Fry, Edward Palmer, ... d M. L. Johnson, reached this city yesterday ... d afterwards were introduced to Mayor Medill ... the afternoon, in company with the ... mmittee on Bridewell, and the Board of ... idewell Commissioners, they visited the ... idewell, and were made acquainted with its ... ings. They were pleased at what ... own them, and will doubtless profit by the ex... ience of Superintendent Felton. The ... men left in the evening for Detroit.

Everything.

Dr. Turnbull, of London, is at the Gardner ... use.

The reading-room of the Young Men's Chris... Association is kept open on Sundays from ... a. m. until 7:45 p. m. All are welcome.

The opening party of the young folks of Mac... Chapel occurs to-morrow evening in Central ... ll, corner of Wabash avenue and Twenty... ond street.

The ladies of the Eighth Presbyterian Church ... give one of their popular oyster suppers ... evening in the church parlors, corner of ... ey and Washington streets.

The New York *Sun* tells the story of the elope... t and marriage in Jersey City of Mr. John ... e, a clerk in a Chicago railway office, and ... Etta Griffith, a Boston widow.

An entertainment consisting of songs by Pro... Coe, George C. Stebbins and others, ... reading, will be given this evening at the P. ... Burbank, will be given this evening at the ... rch, just west of Wentworth Street Baptist ...

Time was when Chicago had to send to ... for nearly everything, but now we find ... ion ordering school furniture from this city ... they complain that our manufacturers are ... by selling orders.

A woman's meeting, to be addressed by Mrs. ... Chandler, of Boston, will be held at the ... of Mrs. Wilkie, No. 107 Throop street, on ... day afternoon, at half past 3 o'clock.

A very silly wager on the election has been ... by two insurance men, as we are informed. ... ney is elected, Steward Hamlin is to carry ... rge H. Bruce around Union Park on his ... while, if Grant is elected, Palmer is to ... sport Marks around the park in a wheel... ow.

The special Committee of the Common Coun... to examine and report upon the best method ... reserving wood, held a meeting in the City ... k's office yesterday afternoon. Two hours ... occupied in examining specimens of pa... ed wood, but no conclusion as to which was ... best was arrived at.

The *Journal*, with characteristic stupidity, ... ined that the ceremonies of laying the ... er-stone of the monument in Central Park ... d take place yesterday, thereby misleading ... seriously inconveniencing a large number ... embers of the Masonic order, who assembled ... at the appointed rendezvous. The corner ... e will be laid next Wednesday.

A half-past 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon the ... e barn at the rear of No. 148 Ellis avenue, ... ed by Mrs. Newberry, and occupied by ... ling, took fire, and was damaged to the ex... of $800; partially insured. The fire ... municated to the double house, Nos. 771 and ... Cottage Grove avenue, owned by Mr. Newberry, ... and to the barn. A carriage shop and other ... ouses of E. H. Miller, No. 156 Ellis avenue. ...

The latter were totally destroyed, involving ... loss of $4,000; no insurance. Mr. New... 's house was injured about $100 worth; ...

The police must be sent to the top of Honore... ding. We notice that Mercury has kicked ... e birds off, and looks as if he intended ... e down himself. We invite him to do ... John, it is said, has purchased the fowl ... d up and took the birds down himself ... street block.

The season-ticket-holders of the Star Course ... to be treated to a fine free lunch by ... managers on next Sunday and Monday ... ings. As Adelaide Phillips has been ... to remain East a few months longer than ... tended, they have decided to fill her date ... extra entertainments, to which the season-... holders will be admitted free, and to ... have induced Edward Eggleston to come ... and appear in their Course. The Phillips ... will appear in November.

An alarm from Box 314, at 20 minutes past ... k yesterday afternoon, was caused by ... ing out of fire in a barn at the rear of No. ... st Madison street, owned by G. M. Pe... and used by Ulick Burse. The barn ad... Burke's furniture store adjoining, ... ged to the extent of $100, and the loss ... ure amounted to about $200; fully ... in the Ætna, of Hartford. Cause of ... own.

The South Branch Station officers observed ... men standing near St. Bridget's Church ... avenue, yesterday morning, about ..., but when the policemen approached ... men ran away. Chase was given, with ... atory result. When the officers returned ... found the other man lying on the sidewalk ... bleeding profusely from a wound in ...

He gave his name as Fred Murich, and ... d that he had been beaten and robbed ... atch by the man who had disappeared. ... k resides at No. 1030 South Halsted street.

The meeting of Unity Church, last evening, ... ted to present, on Sunday afternoon next, ... m., a special service, the letters from a ... e prominent parties in this country and ..., containing expressions of sympathy and ... us unsought contributions in aid of the ... calamity of last year. So remarkable ... of these, both in their character, and ... of writers and donors, that many old ... Robert Collyer's flock will be glad to ... this page of their and our own past, to ... preserved. Unity has now only room ... of assembly worthy of such a gathering.

NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY.

Rev. Dr. Fowler Elected President of the Institute.

He Will Resign the Pastorate of Centenary M. E. Church.

Sketch of His Life and Services in the Pulpit.

Pursuant to a call, the Board of Trustees of the Northwestern University met yesterday morning in the editorial rooms of the *Christian Advocate*, Vice President Hamilton in the chair. The following Trustees were present: Charter members—Philo Judson, M. H. Byford, Wirt Dexter, G. F. Porter, W. H. Lunt, Albro E. Bishop, James G. Hamilton, Orrington Lunt, J. F. Quesl, Abner R. Scranton, W. Wheeler, J. C. Bateford, L. L. Greenleaf, W. Harvey, T. C. Hurd, D. L. McCullogh, Rev. W. M. T. Stewart, James B. Bradwell, Charles Busby, G. C. Cook, Hon. Grant Goodrich, Dr. E. O. Haven, Rev. Richard Harvey. Conference members—Rev. H. L. Martin, Rev. Mr. Axtel, Rev. Dr. Edwards, and Rev. S. Cooper.

The resignation of Dr. E. O. Haven, hitherto President of the University, was presented, and, on motion, accepted.

On motion, Messrs. Quesl, Wirt Dexter, and Harvey were appointed a committee to prepare a resolution to be spread upon the records, expressive of the sense of the Board, in regard to the services of the retiring President.

Mr. Judson presented a paper relative to the engagement of the University, which was referred, without reading, to the Committee on the Faculty.

Dr. Haven presented his resignation as a member of the Executive Committee, which was accepted.

On motion, the Board proceeded to an election of a successor to Dr. Haven in the Presidency of the University.

Dr. Charles H. Fowler was nominated, and a ballot had, which resulted in Mr. Fowler's election by a vote of 24 to 2.

On motion, Mr. Busby was appointed a Committee to notify the newly-elected President of his election, and to request his attendance before the Board.

Vice President Hamilton tendered his resignation as Vice President of the Board, in view of his anticipated absence of some months, but, at the request of the Board, withdrew it.

Mr. F. Quesl offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the salary of Dr. Fowler, if he accept the Presidency of the Northwestern University, shall be the same as that received by his predecessor, Dr. Haven,—$4,000.

This resolution was adopted after some little discussion, as to Mr. Fowler's ability to sever his connection immediately with the Centenary Church.

Dr. Haven moved that the Secretary be instructed to cast the vote of the Board electing Dr. Fowler to the position of Professor of Mental and Moral Science. The motion prevailed.

Dr. Haven moved that Dr. Fowler be elected a member of the Executive Committee, but this being held to be beyond the charter provisions, Dr. Haven amended by moving that Dr. Fowler be invited to attend the meetings of the Executive Committee and participate in their deliberations.

The motion prevailed.

Dr. Haven supposed that the President's salary would commence at once.

Mr. Quesl thought there were several of the Faculty who were giving their whole time to the University, and were receiving only half the salary paid to the President. Now he believed that he could not prepare his two sermons a week and attend to the duties of the church, besides giving his full time to the University.

Judge Goodrich thought his salary as President could not begin until the Bishop should have released him from the pastoral duties of the Centenary Church.

Mr. Cook moved that his salary commence when his undivided services were given to the University.

Mr. Judson offered the following resolution as a substitute:

Resolved, That in the opinion of this Board it is desirable that Dr. Fowler enter upon the duties of the Presidency of the University as soon as possible; and that we respectfully request Bishop Wiley to appoint the time of his installation as President of the Northwestern University.

This substitute was laid on the table, and the motion of Mr. Cook agreed to; after which Mr. Judson's resolution was taken up and passed.

On motion, a Committee of three, consisting of Mr. Busby, Mr. Bishop, and Mr. Quesl, was appointed to notify Dr. Fowler of his election.

The Board adjourned.

Subsequently the Committee waited upon Dr. Fowler, and it is definitely understood that he will accept the charge, and almost immediately enter upon its duties.

THE NEW PRESIDENT.

The Rev. Dr. Charles H. Fowler was born in Upper Canada, in August, 1837, and came with his parents to Illinois in 1840. His family settled in Kendall County, and brought up their son on a farm. He received a common school education at Mount Morris, Ill., and afterwards at Genesee College, New York, from which he was graduated in 1859, receiving the highest honors. He returned the same year to Chicago, where he commenced the study of law. He relinquished this soon after, and studied theology at the Garrett Biblical Institute, from which he graduated in 1861. Soon afterward he was recommended by the Jefferson street, Chicago, Missionary Conference, to the Rock River Conference, and was appointed to that pastorate. For two years he preached there, and left it at the expiration of that term for the Clark Street, or First Methodist Church, situated on the corner of Clark and Washington streets. After a ministry of three years at this church, where his unusual talents were being rapidly recognized and developed, Dr. Fowler returned to the Centenary Church, where he remained but one year, when he became pastor of the Wabash Avenue Church, whose structure has, since the fire, become the Post Office. He preached there for three years, and once more returned to the Centenary Church, where he has recently commenced his fourth year. His talents have been recognized abroad, as well as at home, and for so young a man his record is extraordinary. In 1868, when he was not 30 years of age, he was offered the Presidency of the Northwestern University at Evanston, but he declined the offer, as the time, in his opinion, had not arrived for his retirement from outside work. Since that time he has had the offer of the Presidency of the Syracuse University, last summer, with a salary of $5,000 a year. This offer he declined, as he wished to remain in the West, where his duty called him. He has received and declined calls from prominent churches in all parts of the country—New York, Brooklyn, Boston, Buffalo, San Francisco, St. Louis, New Orleans, Cincinnati, and Baltimore. He was also offered the pastorate of the Metropolitan Church at Washington, which he declined.

The congregation of the Centenary Church numbers nearly 1,000 members, of whom between 800 and 900 have joined during Dr. Fowler's administration.

After the fire Dr. Fowler was entrusted with the delicate duty of raising subscriptions for the relief of the institutions which had suffered from the fire, and in Philadelphia he succeeded in securing $49,000.

Dr. Fowler is young, active, and vigorous, and has a prestige attaching to success in everything he has undertaken, the legitimate result of hard work. Though he has not had experience in teaching, he carries with him this presage, and all the world knows that nothing insures success like success to begin upon. In his new position he will have difficulties to contend with. Among 500 students there must be occasional severe work, be they ever so exemplary. Dr. Fowler has true Western grit about him, however, and a clear head, and these, with his genial disposition and mild manners, cannot but be successful.

Upon the questions of the day Mr. Fowler has always taken a decided stand, and supported his opinions actively and zealously. He has the best wishes of his many Chicago friends in his new position.

LAW AND ORDER.

Mass Meetings on the North and South Sides to Sustain Law and Order.

Now, let the people arouse from their apathy, and stand the law and order meetings to sustain our officials in their efforts to enforce the laws of the city. The propriety and good effects of the Sunday laws have already been exhibited in the lessening of crime, and increased safety to human life.

The meeting on the South Side will be held at New Plymouth Church, corner of Indiana avenue and Twenty-sixth street, on this (Thursday) evening, the 24th instant, at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. W. A. Bartlett, Rev. C. E. Cheney, Professor Nelson, and others, will address the meeting.

On the North Side, Rev. Robert Collyer, Rev. M. M. Parkhurst, and others, will inaugurate the work of renovation at Unity Church, corner of North Dearborn and White streets, on this (Thursday) evening, at 7½ o'clock. The peace and quietness of the North Side on last Sunday was never witnessed before by the oldest inhabitant. Let the good work be maintained.

M. C. KELLY,
Secretary Election Committee, Room 12, No. 172 Adams street.

THE LAW COURTS.

NOTES OF INTEREST.

Springfield furnishes us with a specimen of that speculation in legislation which is regularly indulged in, in that city, by peccant citizens, in the suit, Connelly v. Matteson, introduced in the Circuit Court yesterday. On the 19th January, 1871, at Springfield, defendant executed the following contract: "I hereby assign to George S. Connelly all my right, title, and interest to a certain bill entitled, 'A bill for an Act for the relief of Charles S. Matteson, to-wit: Be it enacted by the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly, that the Auditor draw his warrant on the Treasurer in favor of Charles S. Matteson for $295, being the amount advanced by him for the transfer of one Cyrus R. Bruce, from the State of New York to the County of Peoria, in this State, on the requisition of Governor Yates, on a charge of forgery, in the year 1863, and for which no payment has heretofore been made. The conditions of the above assignment are, that the said George S. Connelly issue to Charles S. Matteson two one bills of $125 each, made payable in trade at his grocery on Monroe street, one to be taken in the month January, 1871, and one in the month February, 1871, or as soon after as the said Matteson or his assigns may elect. It is further agreed that, should said bill fail to become a law, C. S. Matteson will pay Connelly therefor to said George S. Connelly the amount of said due bills, in cash, thirty days after such time as it may become known that said bill has not passed." The due bills were issued, and duly honored to the extent of $273.69, and when it became known that the act had not passed, defendant admitted his liability, and, as a first payment on account of the debt, delivered to plaintiff a promissory note for $74, dated April 5, at thirty days, which he failed to honor. Defendant having neglected to make any payment on account of the debt, and the note still remaining unpaid, the suit was brought.

BANKRUPTCY NOTES.

The first meeting of the creditors of Pettibone & Flynn, for the purpose of electing an Assignee, will be be held before Register Hibbard, this morning, at 11 o'clock.

In the Bankruptcy Court, yesterday, the petition of Samuel H. Thompson & Co., of Peoria, was filed, asking that a judgment in their favor, already recorded, be held as a second claim against the estate of Grand M. Frantz, of Greenbush, Warren County. Frantz filed his petition on May 21, 1872, well knowing that a judgment had been rendered against him for $286, in the Peoria County Circuit Court, on the 19th of April (March 8, 1872), and that his property was levied on in execution of said judgment, on the 19th of April; notwithstanding which fact, said property was included by the bankrupt in his inventory of assets, or part of the estate. It was accordingly seized by the United States Marshal, acting under the orders of the United States District Court. Petitioners allege that they made no fraud in obtaining judgment, as they had no knowledge whatever of the bankrupt being in an insolvent condition; they claim to have a lien on the estate for the amount; of their judgment, and pray that the judgment may be paid in full out of the estate, and that it be held as a lien for that purpose. Bankrupt is required to show cause on the petition.

The second petition in bankruptcy which was suppressed on the 19th, the other being the *Post* printing company, particulars of which were published yesterday), was brought by Farrar Brothers against W. J. Fleming and W. S. Henderson, partners under the firm name of "Fleming & Co." Petitioners allege that it is said that Henderson is not to be found in the district. The petition charges that the firm, on the 9th of October instant, then being insolvent, paid to W. & J. Wallace, firm of Wallace Brothers & Co., with the intent thereby to give a preference to them over other creditors, and to delay and defeat the operation of the act of bankruptcy; that on the same day they made a confession to Dyer of a judgment for boots and shoes, valued at about $3,000, being part of their stock in trade, with the intention of still further defeating the objects of the act, said Dyer being the agent of said Wallace, who had been sent specially from Boston to collect and settle a certain claim, wherefore, petitioners prayed that a warrant be issued to take possession of the estate and the persons of the debtors. Affidavits accompanied the petition, and the petition was in all respects granted. Henderson is now looked for.

Miller Brothers & Keep, with other firms, file a petition in bankruptcy against Nathaniel W. Taylor and Charles D. Gammon, doing business as N. W. Taylor & Co. The petition alleges that said firm made a conveyance of their real estate, stores, wagons, tools, agricultural implements, machinery, and general stock belonging to a country trade, to T. J. Bristol, of Kankakee County, Ill., on the 13th October last; that Bristol, Gammon, and Taylor, are brothers-in-law; that the said stock is being disposed of as rapidly as possible, to the manifest injury of the rights and interests of the creditors; that said Taylor has absconded, Gammon asserting that he has not left behind him enough property to pay five cents on the dollar, and that all the remnants of it were left of the stock would not realize that amount; that the pretended conveyance of property was made on the very day that one of petitioners' notes matured, said Bristol having full knowledge of the insolvent state of his relative; that, notwithstanding such pretended conveyance, Gammon has complete control of the property, and is disposing of it as quickly as possible, as aforesaid, putting the proceeds in his own pockets; that petitioners caused an attachment to issue, and levied on the stock; that on the day following Bristol, in virtue of a writ of replevin, had the property again turned over to Gammon, who continued the sale, and that most of the property is loosely stored, and may be wasted or stolen. Petitioners, therefore, petitioners pray for an injunction restraining the parties intermeddling with the property. The petition is supported by affidavits, and the prayer is granted.

THE ABSTRACT BOOKS.

The Judges of the Circuit and Superior Courts of Cook County met, yesterday afternoon, for the purpose of further considering as to the terms of purchase of the abstract books. Various proposals have been made to the County Commissioners, from time to time, by the abstract men, and, as progress was made in the negotiations, it became necessary to obtain the opinion of the Judges as to the legality of the proposed action. Yesterday, it is understood, their Honors were not able to arrive at any definite conclusion, as to the final course to be adopted, but the ayes are able to progress so far as to form individual opinions on the position in which the negotiation now lies.

THE DIVORCE BUSINESS.

Six divorce petitions were filed in the Superior Court yesterday; all on printed forms, which allege exactly the same charges, in connection with the various offences which constitute a claim for dissolution of marriage; all from one office. There are now only seven divorce suits from other offices, particulars of which are given in the record of new suits, commencing at number 41,007.

Upon the Lyndon divorce case coming up, yesterday morning, Judge Gary said it must be passed, as the Peterson divorce case was on trial, the jury having separated without agreeing. It will come on when the solicitors can agree on a day for hearing.

In the Patterson divorce case, yesterday, another jury was called.

MISCELLANEOUS.

4,643 (Circuit Court) is a petition praying that defendant be enjoined from cutting logs, in any manner interfering with the party wall of the building known as Nos. 159 and 161 South State street, on the south line of No. 159 and north line of No. 161, until payment has been made therefor as per contract entered into between the parties.

Petition for *habeas corpus* was granted by Judge Tree, yesterday, in the case of Wm. Smith, a prisoner in the County Jail on suspicion of larceny. The petitioner, the prisoner's father, simply alleges the innocence of the prisoner, that he will be able to prove his innocence, and that the prisoner is only 13 years of age.

The evidence in respect of the petition to remove the Assignee of the State Insurance Company has been only partially abstracted; that already handed to Judge Blodgett is the abstract of the testimony of only one witness; the other testimony will not be completed for some days.

On the prayer of William French, of No. 799 Hubbard street, an attachment was issued by the Supreme Court, yesterday, against William F. Patterson, for $313.97, being balance of an account for flour and lard, said Patterson being alleged to be on the point of clandestinely leaving the State.

Attorneys are requested to note, as no other notice than this will be given, that the railroad condemnation cases, Chicago, Columbus & Indiana Central Railroad Company v. McAuley, will come up for hearing, before Judge Booth to-day.

Upon calling the *venires* for the Petit Jury, in the Criminal Court, yesterday, only six answered.

In the case of Gregovich, for manslaughter, further bail has been taken in the sum of $1,000, two sureties of $500 each.

All jurymen who have neglected their duties have been summoned to show cause why they should not be fined, and they will be heard and punished in a batch.

Judge Wallace will sit in the County Court to-day.

THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

ADMIRALTY—*[Judge Blodgett]*.

656—Hannahs et al. v. Schooner "Emeline": leave to amend libel. 585—Chatterson et al. v. Schooner "Cartingford"; respondent to close proofs by Dec. 1 next.

BANKRUPTCY.

2,063.—Jas. M. Frantz, Greenbush, Warren County; leave to file petition, and assignee ruled to answer same within five days after service. 2,051—Thos. O. Hedge, Marseilles, LaSalle County; leave to file petition of C. H. Davis, and same referred to Register to take proof; 2,131—J. H. Johnson et al; entered rule to show cause (Oct. 22). 2,116—Catherine Steffen; dismissed unless objections are filed in ten days. 2,127—Fleming & Henderson; issued provisional warrant of seizure, and warrant for arrest of both debtors (suppressed Oct. 19 for the seizure of the parties). 2,132—N. W. Taylor et al.; entered rule to show cause; issued injunction and provisional warrant

NEW BANKRUPTS.

2,127—W. J. Fleming, on the petition of Farrar Brothers (suppressed for seizure, on Oct. 19.) 2,132—N. W. Taylor and Chas. W. Gammon, on the petition of Miller Brothers & Keep.

THE UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.

CHANCERY—*[Judge Blodgett]*.

414—Kerr v. Phillips et al; pleas of defendants, the South Park Commissioners, John M. Nelson, Paul Cornell, Geo. W. Gage, Leverett B. Seeley, and Chauncey T. Brown, referred to Henry W. Bishop, Master, and to inquire into and report. 729—Union National Bank v. Collector Tappan; injunction granted. 756—Merchants' National Bank v. same; same order.

New suits.

Albert Winsdock v. Hemet Dunn & Co.; case, $5,000; Gary Brothers and Voight & Edwards, attorneys.

THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Law—[Judge Porter].

1,876—Davies et al. v. Lewis; attorney called, A. C. Greenebaum v. Hy. Horner and Lazarus Silverman, garnishees of North western Lime and Builders' Supply Company; on motion of plaintiff, on notice to Horner, rule on defendant to restore papers, etc., he too days, or appeal dismissed at defendant's costs, with proceedings. 3,220—Richberg v. Blum; dismissed by plaintiff's attorney. 1,833—Reinhardt v. Doerr; dismissed by plaintiff's attorney. 2,820—Jacobs v. Pettit; appeal dismissed at defendant's costs, with proceedings. (Cali, 26, 37, 38, 39, 40, 42 to 51 inclusive, and 53, 54, and 57.)

CHANCERY—*[Judge Gary]*.

800—Saunders v. Saunders; Master's report filed and confirmed, and decree of divorce. 536—Ayer v. Bradley; on motion of complainant, default, and reference set aside, and leave to amend bill by making Andrew Weiner and John Olsfield new party defendants. 910—Seackka v. Posthoff et al.; Master's report filed and confirmed, and decree appointing commissioners in partition. 826—Johnston v. Brook; case set for hearing December 19. 792—Thornton v. Thornton; Master's report filed and confirmed, and decree of divorce. 329—McGowan v. McGowan; same order as 792. 109—Hugenson v. Williams; time to file appeal bond extended till November 4. 115—Peterson v. Peterson; on motion of complainant, cross bill dismissed without prejudice; jury trial; verdict: "We, the jury, find the defendant, in original bill, guilty of adultery, as charged;" motion for a new trial by defendant.

NEW SUITS.

41,005—William French v. William T. Patterson; attachment for $312. George W. Smith, agent. 41,006—The American Bridge Company v. Richards' Iron Works; assumpsit, $300; Miller, Frost & Lewis, attorneys. 41,007—Clara v. Peter Brodersen; divorce; decree prayed for dissolution of marriage on account of cruelty, and low and vicious habits. Petitioner alleges that defendant is of ample means, and prays for support and custody of her two children. 41,008—Minnie C. v. Malcolm McMillen; divorce; drunkenness ten times per month for the past two years alleged; custody of one infant child prayed for; affidavit of non-residence; the parties are married at Hainesville, Ill., on the 27th of February, 1867. 41,009—Jane v. David Dodson; divorce; desertion; marriage solemnized at Henderson, Knox County, Ill., 1st Aug., 1865; no children; affidavit of non-residence. 41,010—Marla v. Joseph A. Roberts; divorce; adultery with some person unknown; married at Cold Station, Ohio, on the 15th Nov., 1871. 41,011—Elizabeth v. Walter Rinehardt; divorce; desertion; married at Clararack, F. Y., on the 6th Jan., 1864; no children. 41,012—Fanny N. v. Wm. H. Harris; divorce; desertion, and adultery with some person unknown; married at Bay City, Bay County, Mich., on the 3d Febr., 1870; affidavit of non-residence. 41,013—Daniel v. Sarah Cheney; divorce; married on the 1st Aug., 1872, in Chicago, defendant's name then being Sarah Worcester; defendant deserted on the 28th of the same month, and was discovered in Barnum, Kendall County, Mass., and totally given up to adulterous practices; affidavit of non-residence. 41,014—Michael Connolly v. Michigan Railroad Company; garnishee for Michael McCarthy; appeal by defendant of a judgment v. them in the Court of Justice Kauffman. 41,015—Lazarus and Julius Somborn v. Emil Dauchy; assumpsit, $10,000; Barnum, Barnum, attorneys. 41,016—Ellen v. Frederick Maasdorf; divorce; low and vulgar habits; desertion; custody of two children prayed for; affidavit of non-residence. 41,017—Atlantic Company of Chicago v. J. Adams Allen; confession of judgment on a note of $1,200. 41,018—Union Foundry Works v. Einathan Sweet, Jr., Jas. R. Young, Geo. T. Stearns, and F. E. Candor; assumpsit; Leonard, attorneys. 41,019—Geo. S. Counelley v. Chas. W. Matteson; assumpsit, $300; J. E. Munroe and J. S. Stevens, attorney. 41,020—Hatch, Holbrook & Co. v. Goodwille, Livingston & Co.; assumpsit; $3,000; W. W. Perkins, attorney. 41,021—James Forsyth & Co. v. John W. Sharp; assumpsit; $600; R. W. Smith, attorney. 41,022—Same v. Geo. B. Green; assumpsit; $5,000; same attorney. 41,023—Christopher Teglmeyer and Sebastian Wardell v. Wm. Johnston; assumpsit; $800; same attorney. 41,024—Elizabeth v. Lewis Bane; divorce; desertion 6 years ago; leaving the wife and three children unprovided for; petitioner prays to prosecute as a poor person, and that Dr. Heath, and lawyer no compensation of support than her own labor. 41,025—Jerry Donovan v. John M. Gleason; appeal from Justice Scully. 41,026—Edwin and Edwin R. Mitchell v. Lamar Insurance Company; Architect & Builder's Journal & T attorneys. 41,027—Geo. Bartalott v. Andrew J. Sullivan; covenant; $1,000; Ewing & Leonard, attorneys. 41,028—John D. v. Jane Ann Webster; divorce; desertion; affidavit of non-residence. 41,029—Gregory Strader & Co. v. Louis Ramp; assumpsit, $2,000; Moran & English, attorneys. 41,030—Mortimer & Debost v. Kale & Cohn; assumpsit, $5,000; Carter, Becker & Dale, attorneys. Culver, Page, Hoyne & Co. v. Harvey L. Goodall; assumpsit, $600; Wm. Talcott, attorney.

THE CIRCUIT COURT.

Law—[Judge Rogers].

Defaults as follows: 1,936—Burton v. Dodge; amount due for rent $200, and certificate. 2,469—Griggs v. Commercial Insurance Company. 2,462—Wills v. Same. 2,466—Field v. Same. 2,479—Wadsworth v. Same. 2,485—Dickinson vs. Same. 2,162—Samuels v. Same. 2,467—Kellogg v. Same. 2,468—McCready v. Same. 2,474—Culver v. Sayre. 2,473—Wayne v. Same. 2,410—Farrar v. Same. 2,411—Same v. Same. 2,238—Dickinson v. Same. 2,260—Frank v. Same. 2,261—Sullivan v. Same. 2,247—Butler v. McLean. 1,940—Outlie v. Zoit. 1,874—Welsh v. Dalton. 2,636—Heaney v. Wood Rocking Company (judgment $476). 2,656—Beckel v. Shanahan (v. Shanahan, and judgment $360). 2,198—Culver v. Lamar Insurance Company. 2,262—Carr v. Gullck (judgment $230). 2,263—Same v. Same. 2,264—Same v. Same. Company (v. Heineman, and default as to him). 2,646—Tyler v. McGinley. 914—Allen v. Heenze. 2,149—Hocking v. Equitable Insurance Company. 2,237—Smith v. Same. 2,240—Pope v. Pacific Insurance Company. 2,615—Truax v. Lamar Insurance Company. 1,980—Sturges v. Warren (judgment for $212.64). 1,973—Sullivan v. Ellicken. 2,004—Clark v. Winchell. 2,639—French v. Wrisley (damages $3,266.22 and judgment.

Other orders.—466—Herington v. Dearlove; leave to plaintiff to amend replies to second and fourth pleas instanter, and leave to defendant to rejoin in 10 days. 891—Scott v. Hope; leave to enter rule for appearance, and 10 days to plead. 1,788—Swift v. Oakland Church; rule on plaintiff to file written statement with building committee, if any, by the 28th, or show cause on that day. 1,862—Richman v. Fiske; leave to appearance, time to plead extended 10 days. 496—Opdal v. Birdsal; submitted to Court by agreement. 470—De-Witt v. Lipman; jury trial not concluded.

Call 160 to 185, both inclusive, except 172 to 175. 169 on trial.)

[Judge Booth.]

G. N. 4,631—Northwestern Manufacturing Company v. Georgia Lumber Company; default entered, rule on defendant to file pleadings in 20 days. 4,632—Carpenter v. Knox; motion for leave to amend withdrawn. 4,650—George J. Brine v. Daniel McCarthy; restored papers filed, rule on plaintiff to file his pleadings on 10 days' notice.

CHANCERY—*[Judge Williams.]*

430—Peter v. Frederick Eich et al.; commissioner's report filed and confirmed and decree. 145—Hale v. Hale; decree of sale filed and confirmed. 4,634—Carpenter v. Knox; motion for leave to amend withdrawn. 4,650—George J. Brine v. Daniel McCarthy; restored papers filed, rule on plaintiff to file his pleadings on 10 days' notice.

CHANCERY—*[Judge Farwell.]*

435—Mann v. Towne; Master's report confirmed unless objections to-morrow morning; default of administrator and administratrix. 229—Wells v. Blunt; decree for complainant. Bill taken *pro confesso*, and cause referred to Woodbridge, Master.

NEW SUITS.

4,633—Charles Shanahan v. Emily Schlicting and Jas. A. McElligott; attachment for $1,000. 4,634—Richard L. Shuman v. same defendants; same affidavit; damages, $800. 4,635—Miles C. Clinch v. Michael Murphy; appeal from Justice Haines. 4,636—Fisher, Ferry & Co. v. Architect & Builder's Journal & T attorneys. 4,637—Geo. B. Green; assumpsit; $5,000; same attorney. 41,022—Same v. Geo. B. Green; assumpsit; $5,000; same attorney. 41,023—Christopher Teglmeyer and Sebastian Wardell v. Wm. Johnston; assumpsit; $800; same attorney. 41,024—Elizabeth v. Lewis Bane; divorce; desertion 6 years ago; leaving the wife and three children unprovided for; petitioner prays to prosecute as a poor person, and that Dr. Heath, and lawyer no compensation of support than her own labor. 41,025—Jerry Donovan v. John M. Gleason; appeal from Justice Scully. 41,026—Edwin and Edwin R. Mitchell v. Lamar Insurance Company; Architect & Builder's Journal & T attorneys. 41,027—Geo. Bartalott v. Andrew J. Sullivan; covenant; $1,000; Ewing & Leonard, attorneys. 41,028—John D. v. Jane Ann Webster; divorce; desertion; affidavit of non-residence. 41,029—Gregory Strader & Co. v. Louis Ramp; assumpsit, $2,000; Moran & English, attorneys. 41,030—Mortimer & Debost v. Kale & Cohn; assumpsit, $5,000; Carter, Becker & Dale, attorneys. Culver, Page, Hoyne & Co. v. Harvey L. Goodall; assumpsit, $600; Wm. Talcott, attorney.

THE CRIMINAL COURT.

[Judge Tree.]

The following sentences were delivered yesterday: 402—Gregovich, murder; 2 years, Joliet. 2,—Same; jury trial, verdict not guilty, and defendant discharged. 360—Shestrum; jury trial, verdict not guilty, and defendant discharged. 348—Mott; County Jail, 24 days. 308—Bowman and Kern; jury trial, verdict not guilty, and defendants discharged.

The following suits were dismissed: Coughlan v. Coughlan; Corcoran and Healey; Corcoran and Keegan.

Recognizances were forfeited in the following cases: 119—Johnson Junior; Frank Brennan surety. 119—Johnson Senior; Michael Kennedy surety. 119—Holton; William Ryan surety. 119—Moore; John G. Weber surety.

Pay Your Taxes.

By a resolution of the County Board, the time for collecting State and County taxes has been extended for a few days. To make way for the collection of the tax of 1872, which will be due in a few weeks, it has been determined to sell all delinquent lots when the books are returned, and as half of the taxes of 1871 are not yet collected, during the three months the books have been open, those who have not yet paid can see how poor their chance will be to get in during the short time remaining, if they neglect to avail themselves of the opportunity given by the extension. Rebates must be used before the books are returned, or they will not be allowed.

Allegheny Cattle Market.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 23.—The East Liberty cattle market is dull; arrivals heavy. Best, 6¾@6¾c; Stockers, 3@3½c. Prospects bad.

SHEEP—Market dull; arrivals heavy. Best, 5¼c to 5¾; medium, 4¼@4½c; common, 3½@4c. Prospect dull.

HOGS—Market bad; arrivals very heavy. Philadelphia, $4.60@4.70; Yorkers, $4.40@4.50. Prospects dull.

RELIGIOUS MATTERS.

Mission Sunday School Work in Chicago---A Pleasant Affair.

Alumni Institute of the Chicago Theological Seminary---Mariners' Chapel.

The history of Mission Sunday School work in Chicago in the past twelve years is the history of church extension and growth. The Mission School established in a new neighborhood becomes a nucleus of a church organization, which in time is surrounded by a close neighborhood of homes, and takes its place among permanent institutions. The Third Presbyterian Church, Rev. Dr. Kittredge, pastor, has furnished two instances of the kind, resulting from mission work. The old Bethesda Mission, for twelve years established on Williams street, near Blue Island avenue, has for some time been an independent and properous congregation. The same church purchased the Seventh Presbyterian Church property, on the corner of Peoria and Jackson streets, for $14,000, and out of the Mission School then established has grown a congregation worshiping under a missionary pastor. A new Mission School is about to go into operation west of Robey street, near Harrison, and in that growing quarter of the city even more rapid results are to be predicted.

The Mission Sunday School work in Chicago involves a large and most self-denying expenditure of both money and labor, and has given large rewards to both. It is a most important branch of church missionary effort at home, and its effects in a growing city like our own are not easily over-estimated.

A PLEASANT AFFAIR.

Last Tuesday evening Rev. Daniel Lord received a very pleasant surprise from the members of the Ninth Presbyterian Church, who, with their new pastor, Rev. John Woods, went *en masse*, in a chartered car, to the residence of Dr. Lord, No. 1112 Prairie avenue, for the purpose of giving practical evidence of their appreciation of his services, in supplying their pulpit during the

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MONETARY.

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We are unable to report any substantial improvement in the money market. On the surface, there is a little better aspect in the fact that the decline of lake freights from here to Buffalo is favorable to shippers and encourages the movement that leaves money where the grain moves from. But, on the other hand, we hear rumors of a rise in freights on the Erie Canal, in consequence of the great mortality among the horses. How much foundation there is for this report is not exactly clear yet, but, on the whole, we cannot see that the situation has improved as far as transportation Eastward is concerned. The entire cost of taking corn out of our elevators, sending it to New York, and selling it, is now about 36c per bu, and for wheat about 48c per bu. This enormous cost shows why grain is low here, and calculating the same ratio of expense from the interior points of shipment to this city, it is easy to see why the price that can be paid for the grain leaves the farmer almost nothing. The railroad and vessel interests are eating the country up, and until there is either a rise in prices of grain and provisions in foreign markets, or a decline in railroad and vessel freights in this country—the prospect of neither of which is very flattering—the farmers will be hard up, the merchants who sell them goods will be ditto, and will be obliged to stop business when they find they can no longer borrow of their bankers to pay their Eastern debts for goods. This is the situation, and the prospect is not a flattering one. Almost the only redeeming feature is that the South is prosperous, is getting fair prices for a large crop of cotton, and will undoubtedly need a large amount of the breadstuffs and provisions of the West.

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from the United States has thus far been light for a month past. For the week ending Oct. 19 the total from the port of New York was $626,548; previously reported, $60,142,032; total since Jan. 1, 1872, $60,768,420; same time 1871, $56,319,930; same time 1870, $61,338,662; same time 1869, $28,536,563; same time 1868, $66,752,340. It is possible that if specie exports should be large from this country, the price of gold would go up, and thus a fictitious rise in prices generally be produced that would move the crops more readily than at present, though in the end it would leave the producer no more profit than at present prices.

REAL ESTATE.

The following instruments were filed for record on Wednesday, Oct. 23:

CITY PROPERTY.

Larrabee st, n w corner of Oak st, e f, Lots 11 and 12, dated Oct. 2; consideration, $9,500.

Butler st, between Leavitt and Hoyne sts, e f, Lot 20, dated Oct. 21; consideration, $4,750.

Lots 50, 51, 97, and 98, in Rawson's s ½ n e ¼ of s e ¼ Sec 13, 39, 13, dated Oct. 22; consideration, $8,600.

Lot 17, in Block 13, of Brown's Lot 13 and 2, in Lee's s w ¼ Sec 12, 39, 13, dated May 25; consideration, $875.

North Dearborn st, 140 ft south of Chicago av, e f, 20 x 80 ft, dated Sept. 23; consideration, $5,000.

Calumet av, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth sts, w f, undivided ¼ of 50x187 ft, dated Sept. 14; consideration, $5,750.

West Taylor st, between Lincoln and Wood sts, n f, Lot 25, dated July 20; consideration, $800.

Lot 20, in Block 3, of Davis's s ½ of e ½ of s w ¼, Sec 28, 39, 14, dated Oct. 19; consideration, $1,100.

Calumet av, north of and near Twenty-fourth st, w f, 30x82½ ft, dated Oct. 5; consideration, $11,750.

Hamilton st, between Western av and Oakley st, s f, 28x125 ft, dated Oct. 17; consideration, $700.

26x125 ft adjoining the above, dated Oct. 17; consideration, $700.

Robey st, 107 ft north of Bliss Island av, w f, 24x99 ft, dated Oct. 22; consideration, $900.

Lot 15, in Block 5 of Ward's Block 12, Sheffield's Addition, dated Aug. 13; consideration, $650.

9.05 acres near the county farm, s s of Sec 11, 39, 13, dated Oct. 5; consideration, $35,000.

Lots 26 and 27, in Block 1 of Harrison's Blocks 1 and 2, Sec 19, 39, 14, dated Oct. 22; consideration, $1,800.

Lot 17 in Block 4, same, dated Aug. 1; consideration, $850.

Lubeck st, between Bradley and Robey sts, s f, Lots 23 to 28, dated Aug. 27; consideration, $3,080.

Logan pl, in Block 3 of Sutton's Block 28, Sec 20, 39, 14, dated Oct. 1; consideration, $1,000.

Lot 26, in Fish & Young's Subdivision, in s e ¼ Sec 13, 39, 13, dated Oct. 18; consideration, $500.

Prairie av, bet Twenty-second and Twenty-third sts, w f, 24½x157½ ft, dated April 25; consideration, $15,000.

Lot 6, in Block 3, of Davis'n ½ s e ¼ s w ¼ Sec 28, 39, 14, dated Oct. 2; consideration, $2,400.

Lot 15, in Block 17, of n ½ s e ¼ Sec 32, 39, 14, dated Sept. 13; consideration, $950.

10 Lots in Central Park Addition, dated Sept. 5; consideration, $1,000.

West Van Buren st, bet Winchester and Lincoln sts, s f, Lots 8 and 9, dated Oct. 22; consideration, $——.

Lot 37, in Block 10, of D. S. Leo's Addition, dated Sept. 26; consideration, $650.

Lot 38, in same, dated Sept. 26; consideration, $750.

Lots 40 and 41, in Block 1, of Block 19, of e ½ Sec 30, 39, 14, dated Aug. 12; consideration, $900.

Lot 61, in L. D. Boone's Addition, dated Oct. 11; consideration, $3,000.

Lot 52, in same, dated Oct. 11; consideration, $3,000.

McGrath st, between Hoyne and Robey sts, n f, 50x132 ft, dated Oct. 5; consideration, $1,000.

Indiana av, s of and near Eleventh st, e f, 25 ft to alley, dated March 1; consideration, $17,000.

SOUTH OF CITY LIMITS.

Lots 7 to 9, in Block 8, of Theological Seminary Subdivision to Hyde Park, dated Oct. 10; consideration, $9,650.

Lots 1, 4, and 16, in Block 3, and Lots 2, 10, and 11, in Block 2 of Winsien's Lots 3 and 4, in Newhall et al Subdivision of n w ¼ Sec 15, 38, 14, dated Oct. 5; consideration, $12,800.

Lot 14 and w ½ 13, in Hulburd's Block 4 of Lots 34 and 35, Sec 16, 38, 14, with building, dated Sept. 2; consideration, $3,150.

Lot 3 and e ½ 4, in same, with building, dated Sept. 2; consideration, $3,150.

Lots 5 and 6 in Block 2 of Eberhart & Wear's n o ¼ of s w ¼ Sec 9, 35, 14, dated Oct. 1; consideration, $800.

Lots 19 to 21 in Block 1 of Jennings's Subdivision in s w ¼ Sec 10, 38, 14, dated July 15; consideration, $6,200.

Lots 6 and 7 in Block 3 of Blocks 2 to 4 in Cannon's Subdivision in s e ¼ Sec 4, 38, 14, dated Oct. 15; consideration, $1,200.

Lots 43 to 48 in Block 3 of Derby's s w ¼ of n w ¼ Sec 10, 38, 14, dated Sept. 13; consideration, $9,250.

Lot 30 of Shaw's Lots 2 and 3 in Forrestville, dated Oct. 23; consideration, $1,450.

WEST OF CITY LIMITS.

Lot 16 in Block 16 of Hansbrough & Hess's s ½ s w ¼ Sec 36, 40, 13, dated Oct. 16; consideration, $600.

COMMERCIAL.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, Oct. 23.

The following were the receipts and shipments of the leading articles of produce in this city during the past twenty-four hours; and for the corresponding date a year ago:

	RECEIPTS.		SHIPMENTS.	
	1872.	1871.	1872.	1871.
Flour, brls	7,642	8,404	6,222	2,232
Wheat, bu	134,040	87,816	71,398	7,621
Corn, bu	15,583	81,345	64,789	178,324
Oats, bu	71,220	84,690	42,434	163,620
Rye, bu	3,728	4,787	24,500	31,600
Barley, bu	75,260	22,116	92,880	1,556
Grass seed, lbs	65,413	24,370	8,500	20,000
Flax seed, lbs	122,140	42,600	278,700	.....
Broom corn, lbs	71,000	60,600	31,200	.....
Cured meats, lbs	94,220	.....	134,490	268,400
Beef, brls	1,315	824	943	.....
Pork, brls	.....	17	375	.....
Lard, lbs	34,220	22,600	20,000	26,400
Tallow, lbs	21,940	9,645	.....	27,914
Butter, lbs	44,860	33,150	27,600	10,578
Live hogs, No	7,589	12,642	6,314	4,958
Cattle, No	1,260	1,324	745	171
Sheep, No	1,382	877	.....	597
Hides, lbs	104,342	75,830	6,156	57,287
Highwines, brls	87	191	575	192
Wool, lbs	.....	22,000	20,000	97,923
Potatoes, bu	17,660	5,777	2,762	954
Lumber, m feet	5,688	2,573	1,445	1,548
Shingles, m	2,380	1,180	1,257	1,800
Lath, m	475	200	131	125
Salt, brls	5,200	1,300	2,513	1,200

Withdrawn from store yesterday for city consumption: 1,488 bu wheat; 2,022 bu corn; 6,824 bu oats; 2,257 bu rye; 8,653 bu barley.

The following grain has been inspected into store this morning, up to 10 o'clock: 265 cars wheat; 188 cars and 6,200 bu corn; 70 cars and 7,000 bu oats; 6 cars rye; and 110 cars barley. Total (639 cars), 265,000 bu.

The great sensation in grain circles to-day was the threatened embargo on the movement along the Erie Canal, in consequence of the prevalence of the horse disease in New York State. All along the line of the canal the horses are reported to be dying by hundreds, and the owners of valuable animals are sending them away to other parts of the country as fast as possible, to save them from the dreaded disease. The consequence is that horses cannot be procured to do the towing on the canal; and it is feared that there will be a dearth of transportation facilities by water, through to the close of navigation. Freights from Buffalo are now 16c on wheat and 14c on corn, and if the prospect is not a flattering one. Almost the only redeeming feature is that the South is prosperous, is getting fair prices for a large crop of cotton, and will undoubtedly need a large amount of the breadstuffs and provisions of the West.

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—Vessels with grain from the West have been unaccountably delayed, several being now from 10 to 12 days out from Chicago. There has been two or three instances during the past 24 hours of vessels reaching this port in four days' time, rendering it evident that there must have been a wide variation in the winds.

—A despatch was received in Detroit on Wednesday afternoon from the Straits of Mackinac announcing the passing at that point of a large number of overdue vessels from Lake Michigan. They had been delayed among the islands by the heavy northeaster. Their appearance may be looked for there to-morrow.

—The schooner Hamilton, which grounded in Two Rivers, Lake Michigan, and was subsequently rescued, may justly be considered a veteran of the olden time. She has been over 30 years in service, and originally belonged to the "Red Bird Line." She was built at Oswego by Crockett, and is said to be yet in fair condition.

—The wreckers at Colchester reef engaged in rescuing the schooner Annie Sherwood from that place was, up to latest advices, still progressing in prosecuting the work, but making very slow progress, owing to many disasters they were meeting with. It is expected, however, she will be off and under way for port in the course of a few hours more at the farthest. The work of raising the propeller Alaska, stranded on the Lime Kilns, still progresses, but to what extent we have not definitely ascertained. We expect to present a considerable portion of her cargo being lightered, and it is from this source that mishaps arise.

—Considerable money has been expended at Sable, with a view to affording protection to passing vessels at that point, but no vessel will dare run the risk of attempting to get into the narrow channel between the docks during a storm, and the expenditures have been useless. The idea of making a harbor of refuge at that point has been demonstrated to be impracticable. Numerous surveys have been made for the purpose of locating such a harbor between Saginaw Bay, but thus far no point has been found feasible for such a purpose, and the surveys have proved unsatisfactory; and, while it is desirable that one or a dozen harbors of refuge should be established on the shores of Lake Huron, we believe the necessity of such a work at Point Aux Sable is unquestionable. Not lacking in natural advantages, the cost of such an undertaking would be small in comparison with the cost at other points on the lake which have received some considerable looking after to them.

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If acres on Canal and railroad, near the Great McCormick Reaper Works, at a bargain.
Lots on Cottage-av., Forty-first-st., near Central Park.
2 acres corner Vincennes-av. and Forty-first-st.; also, a large list of business and residence property.

FOR SALE—CHEAP—BY BRIGHAM & WILLITS, 139 Madison-st., Room 3:
House and lot (corner) Walnut, near Lake.
House and lot, Walnut, near Leavitt.
House and lot, Fourth, near Fulton.
House and lot, Fulton, near Lincoln.
House and lot, Western-av., near Lake.
New brick houses, Fulton, near Ashland.
Lots on Oakley-av., First-st. near Hoyne.
Lots on Ogden-av., Oak Horn, Barbine, Twentieth, Parmalee and Oakley-sts. near Western-av.

FOR SALE—20 ACRES AT WASHINGTON Heights, ¼ mile from crossing; high, rolling land, with beautiful grove. Also, 10 acres at Englewood, 15 acres adjoining same, cheap. HART & BIGGS, 269 Wabash-av.

FOR SALE—250 FEET ON WABASH-AV., NEAR Thirty-fifth-st., cheap. Also, 2 small feet on Wabash-av., near Thirty-eighth-st., $110 per foot. Apply to CAMPBELL BROS., 131 Madison-st., corner Clark.

FOR SALE—CENTRAL BUSINESS PROPERTY ON Michigan and Wabash-avs; also on State, Lake, Monroe, and Clark-sts.
Choice residence property on the South Boulevards, and on all the best avenues and streets of the city and suburbs. Most desirable property in the market. J. ESAIAS WARREN, 18 Chamber of Commerce.

FOR SALE—WABASH-AV., SOUTHEAST CORner of Thirty-fifth-st., 66 feet front, 132 feet deep; easy terms; title perfect. J. ESAIAS WARREN, 18 Chamber of Commerce.

FOR SALE—MICHIGAN-AV., SOUTHEAST CORner of Forty-eighth-st., 330x132 feet; price, 50c per foot; easy terms; title perfect. J. ESAIAS WARREN, 18 Chamber of Commerce.

FOR SALE—STATE-ST., NORTHEAST CORNER OF Twenty-first-st., 100x198 feet. A fine piece of business property. J. ESAIAS WARREN, 18 Chamber of Commerce.

FOR SALE—ELEGANT MARBLE FRONT RESIdence on Michigan-av.; furnace range; all modern conveniences; frescoed. Also, brick stable. Lot 24x132; location desirable. ULRICH & BOND, 161 Wabash-av.

FOR SALE—VINCENNES-AV., SOUTHWEST CORner of Oakwood Boulevard, 165x212; a beautiful lot, at a bargain, if taken this week. J. ESAIAS WARREN, 18 Chamber of Commerce.

SUBURBAN REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—ACRE PROPERTY — 46 ACRES AT Hawthorne Station, between city limits and River-side, on easy terms.
An undivided 20 acres on Riverside Boulevard, a short distance beyond city limits.
320 acres just south of Lake Calumet.
124 acres on river, a little north of Maplewood.
A beautiful 4-acre lot northeast corner Indiana-av. and Fifty-seventh-st. Also many others.
J. ESAIAS WARREN,
18 Chamber of Commerce.

FOR SALE—BY J. T. MATTHEWS & CO., 124 Clark-st.:
2 acres on Section 16, 39, 13, east front, on Hyman-av.
5 acres at Lawndale; lake water on the premises, at a bargain.
Choice lots near Douglas and Central Parks.
Cheap feed on Madison-st., west of Western-av.
Houses and lots on the West Side at low prices and on easy terms.

FOR SALE—18 ACRES ON CALUMET RIVER, with 1¼ miles river front, beautiful rolling land with high banks; one of the choicest locations and best investment for sale; will be sold at a bargain, and very easy terms. HART & BIGGS, 269 Wabash-av.

FOR SALE—ENGLEWOOD, IN THE NORMAL addition, some very desirable lots. C. H. WHITTLESEY, 79 Dearborn-st., Room 3.

FOR SALE—CHOICE ACRE PROPERTY SOUTH and west of city limits; very cheap and easy terms. GEO. CADWELL, 135 Wabash-av.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—PARTIES OWNING large tracts in Lake View, Hyde Park, and other lake, are invited to trade a portion to about $10,000, for a good house and lot near suburban property, readily realizable; the intention being to concentrate. Parties desirous of the same at Lake View, which will enhance the value of the remainder, are recommended the exchange. MEAD & COE, 72 West Madison-st.

FOR SALE—ACRE PROPERTY AT WASHINGTON Heights; 10, 20, and 40 acre tracts fronting on Tracy-av., near depot. C. C. THAYER & CO., 158 East Madison-st.

FOR SALE—WILLOW SPRINGS—40 ACRES NEAR Willow Springs Station on the Ch

LOOK TO YOUR HORSES.

The "Canada Disease" Undoubtedly in Chicago.

Fifty Cases at the West Side Railway Barns.

What Will Occur if the Disease Becomes Epidemic.

Chicago Stables the Worst in the World.

Views of Two Experienced Veterinary Surgeons.

Ravages of the Disease in Eastern Cities.

Barely two months ago the press of the country announced the outbreak, among the horses of the Canadian cities, of a disease which, though not fatal, was so prostrating in its effects, and so rapidly spreading, as to cause serious apprehensions in the cities and throughout the provinces generally. This disease continued to ravage the Dominion, and the daily reports from Canada, and especially from Toronto, became more and more alarming, as the epidemic assailed a large proportion of the stock of that city, none being exempt in livery and boarding stables, sale stables, or even private stables.

THE PROGRESS OF THE DISEASE

has for the past two or three weeks been watched with intense interest, fears that it would cross the border and infect our own horse stock being generally entertained. This fear, as the telegraphic despatches in THE TRIBUNE yesterday show, have already been realized. In New York City, Detroit, Rochester, Boston, Buffalo, and, indeed, through Western New York, the disease has appeared almost simultaneously. It is described as being a sort of influenza, and is classed by veterinary surgeons under three heads, catarrhal, rheumatic, and gastro-erysipelatous. The form in which it has caused such havoc in Canada and the East is the catarrhal. Its first noticeable symptoms are a flow of tears from the eyes, a watery discharge from the nose, and general prostration, followed by a cough.

PRECAUTIONS TAKEN.

The announcement of the outbreak of the disease in the Eastern cities in THE TRIBUNE caused a profound sensation throughout Chicago yesterday. The keepers of livery and boarding stables were especially exercised over the discovery, and inquired anxiously as to what course to pursue. A reporter inquired among the various livery stables, express companies' barns, and other places to ascertain what precautions had been taken to anticipate the approach of the dreaded disorder. He learned that none had been taken in the majority of stables, but here and there a course of disinfecting had been commenced, and was to be kept up. Field & Leiter have disinfected thoroughly with chlorids of lime, but did not fear the epidemic. It would appear that the disease had not as yet made its appearance, but it is to be feared that the pleasant belief in our immunity from disease must be rudely dispelled.

THE DISEASE IN CHICAGO.

About three months ago several horses in the West Division City Railway Company's barn, on Western avenue, were taken sick, the symptoms having been as follows: The extremities were cold, a discharge ran from the eyes and nose; in some cases there was hemorrhage from the lungs. Complete prostration followed, and a cough set in. The visible portions of the mucous membranes were highly injected. The most symptom noticeable was a trifling "dumpishness" displayed by the poor beasts, who appeared to an outsider merely a little out of sorts, and such that a person not accustomed to horses would overlook entirely. In no two cases were the symptoms entirely alike, but they embraced the above, with permutations and combinations, until in three months 50 of them have been taken sick. By judicious attention and treatment, they have nearly all been rescued, only three having been lost, one of them from a disease incident to that from which he had been cured. There is one mare at the barn at present whose death is hourly expected. She has been suffering from what Dr. J. D. Tuthill, the veterinary surgeon, describes to be pleuro-pneumonia—a combination of pleurisy and pneumonia, and yesterday afternoon she had been ailing for 36 hours.

DR. TUTHILL'S EXPERIENCE.

A reporter yesterday afternoon paid a visit to Dr. Tuthill, who had attended the horses, and learned from him some very interesting facts, which will be found valuable by those who own horses.

The disease from which the poor animals in the barn have been suffering, is an epizootic of a typhoid character, but whether it is identical with the horse disease from Canada Mr. Tuthill could not say. It was not, in his opinion, infectious, but epizootic, or epidemic, if the term be preferred. His reasons for believing this to be the case are, that it is confined to no locality, and that all appear to take the disease at once, not apparently from one another, but from some subtle atmospheric poisons. It is not a new disease. It has been treated in the old country, and successfully combated. All horses are subjected to it throughout the year, but especially in the spring and fall. Like other similar diseases, the severity of the different epidemic assaults is subject to great variation. One season brings a mild and almost imperceptible attack of it, another a virulent and destructive one, such as seems to have come upon the continent.

THE DURATION OF THE DISEASE

varies as much as the premonitory symptoms. Two horses that died in the West Side stables were sick for 36 hours only. Others have been sick for weeks. Before a horse is thoroughly convalescent, and fit to work after an attack, a month or six weeks must pass by. All have been under treatment; some are so far recovered as to be at work again, the disease having left no permanent traces upon its victims. Some of the cases have commenced with an attack upon the throat; others were complicated with bronchitis; in others pleurisy, and in others again, pleuro-pneumonia. Great prostration has followed in every case. Sometimes rheumatism has set in.

THE STRETTONS

are typhoid in character, and require instant attention and prompt treatment, otherwise there is danger that the disease will have obtained such headway that recovery is doubtful, even if possible. At the same time, Dr. Tuthill does not regard the disease as fatal. While he cannot positively assert that it is the same as that which has been so destructive in the East, he has a strong belief that it is. The great mortality that has occurred he attributes more to the want of proper treatment (and consequent improper treatment) than to the disease itself. He had treated fifty cases, and all but three of his equine patients had recovered. One of these latter had recovered from his attack, and was getting along nicely, when rheumatic inflammation of the hock joint set in, and the poor animal died of inflammation of the covering of the hock-joint. It is astonishing how the diseased parts sympathized with one another, and how frequently

RHEUMATISM AND PERICARDITIS

ensued on the disappearance of the disease. When the disease assumed the form of typhoid pneumonia, it was very difficult to cope with it. While he was not aware of the existence in any other cases in the city, he had observed several similar in symptoms to those at present under treatment during the spring, and mentioned the fact, but it had died out without causing an alarm. They were probably sporadic cases. He believed that

THE WEST SIDE CAR COMPANY

in the construction of the barn had materially provided against any great mortality among their horses. The barn was on the ground floor, and better ventilated and cleaned than any in the city. These causes, and the prompt treatment of diseased animals, had resulted in his saving so many and losing so few. Should the disease prove to be the dreaded epidemic, as he had no doubt it would, the dingy, dirty, ill-ventilated character of the livery and boarding stables, omnibus stables, and sale stables, together with the crowding which they were compelled to put up with, would produce

A TERRIBLE MORTALITY.

Chicago has at present more horses than any city in the world in population, and less accommodation for them. Hence the disease would be terrible in its effects.

The exciting cause of the disease is cold, Dr. Tuthill assumes, and it might be called epizoonic catarrh.

BAD VENTILATION, WANT OF DRAINAGE,

want of proper attention, and crowding will assist it in carrying off hundreds of our horses unless precautions be taken in time. He recommends that preparations be made through the city to meet the disorder, and he suggests the liberal sprinkling of barns, floor, walls, ceilings, and cribs with chloride of lime. Let in all the air possible, he says. Don't be afraid of fresh air. In an underground stable ventilation must necessarily be difficult; but even here more air can be let in than is generally admitted. Keep the floors clean; clear away the excretions as often as possible; let the horses have regular exercise and plenty of it, but don't overwork the poor creatures for your own good.

OVERWORKED HORSES,

like overworked men, are peculiarly susceptible of disease. Keep the animals in good physical condition, and the moment anything appears to be wrong call in the veterinary surgeon, and let him attend to it.

GONE TO INVESTIGATE.

Mr. Bovatt, the surgeon of the American Merchants' Union Express Company, has gone to Detroit to examine the cases reported in that city. He will be in town to-day, and his experiences will be made public to-morrow.

Such was the condition of affairs yesterday; to-morrow morning's issue may chronicle a complete outbreak of the disorder throughout the city.

A special correspondent in Canada informs us that over one-half of the horses on the line of the Great Western Railroad are laid up with the disease, and that it is working Westward.

THE RAVAGES OF THE DISEASE IN EASTERN CITIES.

Special Despatch to the Chicago Tribune.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 23.—The first case of the Canada horse epidemic appeased in this city on the 18th inst. Since that time the disease has spread rapidly, and is now at its height. Every horse in the city is more or less under its influence. All classes of business are seriously embarrassed, with no immediate prospects of relief. Merchants are working their horses slightly, and shipping and delivering goods with handcarts. All the horses in the street railroad barns are sick, and the cars are running on slow time, only for the accommodation of the suburban residents, and in case of rain are withdrawn entirely. The wholesale trade, and especially the heavier departments, is utterly unable either to receive or to ship property of any kind, except in the smallest quantities.

Two of the steam fire engines have been ordered off duty, except in case of general alarm. The remainder of the horses in the department are almost unfit for duty. One private stable contains $35,000 worth of sick racers. Horses are obtained with difficulty for funerals, the hackmen having been obliged to suspend almost altogether.

The disease is raging through the intervening country between Buffalo and Rochester, and has already broken out in New York, Brooklyn, and Boston. In Rochester, all business dependent upon horse power is at a standstill.

The disease has yet spared the canal horses, but it is feared that they will be attacked before the close of the week.

The symptoms in the early stages are a staring coat, dry or hacking cough, moving with reluctance, and general dullness; nasal membrane at first pale; watery discharge from one or both nostrils; ears and legs cold. As the disease advances the membranes become glazed, colored; the discharge from the nostril changes to a mucous of a greenish-yellow color, the pulse is quickened, the breathing is also quickened, and in some cases obstructed and labored. Should the animal be kept at work the disease, which, in its early stage, is local, with light catarrhal fever, and confined principally to the bronchial tubes, will be extended to the chest. The covering of the lungs will be involved, and the symptoms of pleurisy immediately follow.

The treatment is, first, to stop working the animal. When in the stable keep the body warm by clothing. Give warm bran mashes and chilled water. Apply an exciting embrocation on the wind-pipe from the throat to the chest. In the early stages, give stimulants of good whisky; when the disease advances, the pulse is fast grown quicker, sedative medicine must be given to arrest the inflammatory symptoms. Cathartics and nauseating medicines should not be administered. Bleeding is dangerous and should not be practiced. Special pains should be taken to give the animals plenty of exercise in the open air.

Five deaths from the disease are reported today, all supposed to be the result of improper treatment. The principal veterinary surgeon of this city has nine hundred cases in charge, and has not lost one. No fatal results need be anticipated if the above treatment is adhered to.

[To the Associated Press.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—The horse disease which is prevailing in different cities outside of New York, and which had caused a great deal of excitement among stable-keepers and car companies, has made its appearance in this city, and is causing the greatest panic. The disease appears to have appeared first in the city in magnificent form on Monday afternoon, although there were some few cases of an earlier date. The contagious qualities of the disease are very violent, and within twenty-four hours from the time the first symptoms of sickness were noticed in one large stable one thousand horses under the same roof were similarly affected. A reporter who has visited most of the principal stables states that no less than seven thousand horses were affected up to yesterday evening. The horses of the different lines of stages and street car companies are more or less affected. On the Sixth avenue line of railroad two hundred horses were stricken down in four hours. The Company have been compelled to withdraw some of their cars. Over two thousand horses on the Third avenue line are suffering. In the stables of the Twenty-third street stage line some five hundred horses are laid up. Up to midnight last night no deaths had occurred except in the Sixth avenue stables.

In Brooklyn, the disease is reported as spreading, and it is gravely apprehended that the disease will spread and materially interrupt the means of traffic throughout the city. In Jersey City and Hoboken there are some 14,000 carriage horses in New York, and if equine travel becomes stopped at this season, the losses to business will be very heavy. The disease is denominated "catarrhal fever," and it commences with a cough. In about thirty-six hours a running from eyes and nose is developed, and the horse becomes weak. The affection is thought to be similar to the Canadian epidemic.

LATER.—Some twelve cars have been withdrawn from the Sixth avenue line in consequence of the prevalence of the horse-disease. Other lines are not materially affected. In many stables the disease is not known, and it is thought that the nature of the epidemic has been exaggerated, as many cases have been rapidly cured.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 24.—The horse-disease continues its ravages, and there are not a score of horses in the city and neighborhood unaffected, although very few fatal cases have been reported. All branches of business are more or less affected by the scarcity of horses. Merchants are hiring men and boys to transport goods. The street-cars are not running, and the livery-stables are closed. The disease prevails in surrounding counties as extensively as in the city.

BOSTON, Oct. 23.—The horse epidemic is seriously impeding business and travel here.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—The Secretary of the Treasury has issued the following instructions to Collectors at Rochester, Burlington, Cape Vincent, and Port Huron:

"You are directed, so long as the existing horse-disease prevails in Canada, to allowing horses to be brought into your port or district from that country, unless you are perfectly satisfied that they are free from contagious diseases."

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Oct. 23.—Seventy cases of horse-disease broke out in this city to-day. No fatal cases reported thus far.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 23.—The horse epidemic has broken out in in this city, and is spreading rapidly. Fully 400 horses are affected, including the horses of the Fire Department and street railways. The horses of the Milk Company are affected; also 100 private horses. A number have already died.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—The epidemic among the horses has caused intense alarm in this city. The disease is spreading rapidly. It is rumored to-night that Bonner's Pocahontas has been attacked by the malady. About 150 cars and 750 stages have been taken off to-day, and 50 stages will be withdrawn to-morrow. It is feared that here, as in Rochester, locomotion by stages and cars will be suspended in a few days.

Many cases of the disease are reportep in Jersey City and Hoboken.

THE LIBERAL CAMPAIGN.

Large Out-Door Meeting Last Evening —Eloquent Speech by Hon. Thomas J. Turner—Announcements.

A large Liberal meeting of citizens of the Tenth Ward was held last evening, in the school house yard on Madison, between Halsted and Union streets. Gasoline lights were suspended from a telegraph pole and in front of the platform from which the speaking took place. The Ward Greeley Club, arrayed in uniform, and carrying torches, marched to the meeting, preceded by a band. They were under the command of Captain Brown. After the meeting the Club serenaded Mr. Sheahan, Mr. Wilce, Mr. Holden, and Mr. Lonergan.

Mr. Samuel Skemp called the meeting to order, and said that he had been an original Abolitionist, having voted for Fremont once, for Lincoln twice, and for Grant once, and the last time. [Applause.] If the Liberal Republicans and Liberal Democrats came up to the scratch together, victory would perch upon the Liberal banner in November, and Greeley be the next President of the United States. [Cheers.]

Hon. Thomas J. Turner reviewed the cause and course of the war. During the war many questions now important were lost sight of and overlooked. The war closed, and we were now a united people. The South had accepted the situation with grace. It was the duty of all men to vote to establish fraternal relations between all sections of the country. Ireland was held by England by force, and Poland by Russia in the same way. The centralized power of those Governments were stronger than the people, and if our Government was to continue to be based upon the will of the people, we should oppose anything and everything that tended to centralize power at Washington. [Applause.] Peace should prevail within all the boarders of the land. Had the Government done all it should have done to restore the country to peace? He did not think so. There was no attempt made at reconciliation and a restoration of peace between the North and South, nor was purification in office attempted by the Administration. He hoped and believed that Democrats would do their duty, and he asked Republicans to choose between such leaders as Trumbull, Schurz, Palmer, Sumner, Julian, Blair, Banks, and others, or Morton, Zach. Chandler, Ben. Butler, John Logan, etc. They could take their choice. Democrats could not get off the platform on which Greeley stood. The past was irrevocable, and could not be revived. [Applause.] The old issues were dead. Slavery was buried, and never could be resurrected. Every man, black and white, had the right to vote, and that right could never be taken from them, nor would any one attempt it. The issues now were Reconciliation and Reform, and they were embodied in the person of Horace Greeley. He was in President Lincoln's room, and witnessed the first meeting between him and Douglas after the first outbreak of the war, when Douglas said, "Mr. Lincoln, we must forget party and save the country." [Applause.] That was the spirit that should animate the people now, for the country was in danger from an insidious foe that threatened the very life of the Republic. With references to local matters, he would say that Carter H. Harrison, the Liberal nominee for Congress, was an honest and able man, who had been very little in politics, and had never been in rings, and was a much fitter representative than Jasper D. Ward, who, somebody said, had no colleague in the Legislature but one, and he was a lobbyist. The county ticket would be elected; and that would carry the State, and that would elect Horace Greeley next President. [Cheers.]

Mr. William H. Henderson criticised the Administration in a good speech.

SEVENTEENTH WARD.

There was a meeting of the friends of Greeley and Koerner at No. 889 North Clark street, last evening. The attendance was fair, and the enthusiasm immense. Colonel Hamilton presided, and speeches were made by St. Clair Sutherland, Charles Kern, and Otto Feltzer.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Liberals at the Town of Lake will hold a meeting, this evening, at the Town Hall, which will be addressed by Judge L. B. Otis, Captain Connett, St. Clair Sutherland, and Captain Crowley.

An open-air meeting of the supporters of Greeley and Brown of the Twentieth Ward will be held, this evening, on the corner of Michigan and North Clark streets. Hon. Thos. J. Turner, General Stiles, Charles Kern, and H. E. Hamilton will address the meeting.

A meeting of Seventeenth Ward Liberals will be held at No. 82 Clybourne avenue on Friday evening. It will be addressed by Messrs. Lemyse, Hamilton, McClure, Hoffman, Seltzer, and Crowley.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE KNOPFEL CONCERT.

The fourth of Mr. Knopfel's pleasant series of concerts was given at the Michigan Avenue Baptist Church, on Tuesday evening last. A variety of reasons, such as political meetings, fires, influenzas, and opposing amusements tended to reduce the numbers in the audience, in comparison with those which have attended his previous concerts. This, however, must be expected. The first three concerts were given at a time when it was useless to expect attractions from abroad, and when there was literally nothing to draw against them. To meet the present popular demand for music, extra attractions and decided novelties must be provided, and these were not forthcoming at the last concert. The only novelty was in the character of the music itself, but this appeals only to musicians, not to the general public. The concert was an average musical success, and its greatest interest centered in the instrumental numbers, mainly from that very character of work in which we have spoken. With the exception of two numbers, the solo for trombone with organ obligato, admirably played by Mr. Braun, whose face it is pleasant to see more to see after his long absence, and Liszt's "Hungarian Rhapsody," which was given with good expression but rather nervously, by Mr. Ledochowski—with these two exceptions, the instrumental numbers were arrangements for organ, pianos and a small orchestra—a very effective combination when it is properly and evenly balanced. It was a misfortune of the combination that the violins in fortissimo passages, especially in the overture to "Rienzi," were overpowered. The numbers thus performed were the "Rienzi" overture, Gounod's familiar "Serenade," the *largo* movement from Beethoven's Seventh Sonata, Owen's showy "Ave Maria," and the Tannhauser March and Chorus. Of these, the "Serenade" was the most effective. It was in the hands of Mr. Falk having the organ, Mr. Meyer the violin, and Mr. Knopfel the piano. The arrangement for these instruments, we believe, is by Gounod, and has been done with consummate skill, no one instrument preponderating over the other, but taking the theme in brief fugue style. The performers are worthy of great credit for the manner in which they gave it and Messrs. Flagler, Meyer, and Knopfel are also deserving of praise for their rendering of the *largo* movement from the Beethoven Sonata. The other numbers failed in effect, from a want of sympathy in the performers and from the unevenness of balance of which we have spoken. The vocal numbers were interesting—hardly more than that. On this occasion, it is fortunate that they were few. Mrs. Francis had an unfortunate place on the programme, coming in with her strong voice immediately after the *piano* performance of the Serenade, and she had an unfortunate selection—Wimmiersteth's ballad "Dare I Tell?"—for a vocalist of her style, which requires something larger, more dramatic, and more highly colored. The ballad was a pretty simple little *morceau*, but seemed out of place in the programme. Miss Hastreiter's singing does not call for anything in addition to what we have before said with regard to her. Her selection, Bevignani's "Flower Girl" was made with good taste as far as it suited her voice. It involved just enough of execution to display her powers at their best, and lay within the range of the best parts of her voice, so that she appeared to good advantage. Her manner of singing it, however, was rather cold, brusque, and positive for a mere florid trifle of that character, and as these are points which appertain to many of her vocal efforts, she should seek to amend them. A few studies of such really great ballad-singers as Parepa and Nilsson would be of service to her, for she has a voice and talent above the average of amateur singers. She has yet, however, to cultivate these up to their proper point to make a thoroughly effective singer. The performance of Owen's "Ave Maria" by a double quartette, with solo by Miss Hastreiter, would have been better had it been rehearsed more thoroughly. This could have been the only reason, as some of the best musical talent in the city was engaged in its performance.

War Department Weather Prognostics.

WAR DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, DIVISION OF TELEGRAMS AND REPORTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF COMMERCE, WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Probabilities—The barometer will fall in the northwest, with southerly winds and partly cloudy weather, extending, probably, to the Lower Ohio Valley and Lake Erie, to-morrow. For the Ohio Valley and thence to the Gulf, clear and clearing weather, high barometer, and fresh northerly winds; on the lower lake region, and thence to Upper Ohio Valley, northerly winds and clear weather, with occasional frosts. The depression on the Georgia Coast will move northeastward, with brisk northerly to easterly winds.

Threatening weather and rain to-night, as far as Virginia, and southerly to westerly winds and clearing weather in Eastern Florida. In New England and Middle States, winds bearing to northerly and northeasterly, with threatening weather and rains. Warning signals remain at Savannah, Charleston, Wilmington, and Norfolk.

"MORAL SUPPORT."

Garden City Division Sons of Temperance Comes to the Support of the Authorities.

At a regular meeting of Garden City Division No. 422, Sons of Temperance, held at their hall, corner Randolph and Clinton streets, on Tuesday evening last, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, His Honor the Mayor, the Honorable Board of Police Commissioners, and the Superintendent of Police, have determined to enforce the laws prohibiting the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors upon the Sabbath; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we hail with joy such determination and attendant action, and congratulate the order-loving citizens of Chicago; therefore

Resolved, That as such action is essentially just and right, and that the citizens of Chicago should rest satisfied with nothing less.

Resolved, That our thanks are due and are hereby tendered to his Honor the Mayor, the Honorable Board of Police Commissioners, and Mr. Superintendent Washburn, and that we pledge to them our hearty and earnest support and co-operation in making effectual the suppression of the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors.

Resolved, That we earnestly beseech all good citizens to render such aid as may be in their power, for the purpose of rendering effectual the efforts of the authorities in this good work.

Resolved, That the fact that on the two Sabbaths on which the saloons have been to a great extent closed, the number of arrests has decreased more than 50 per cent, forms an unanswerable argument in proving that the use of intoxicating liquors is the prolific source of nearly all crime.

Resolved, That we commend the temperance cause as a good and righteous one, and do hereby cordially invite and welcome the co-operation of all persons in its efforts, as a society, to benefit our race, and bring happiness to every home and person by total abstinence from all that can intoxicate.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Division be and are hereby tendered to the press of Chicago for the noble stand it has taken on the side of law and order.

Resolved, That copies of this preamble and resolutions be presented to the Mayor, the Board of Police Commissioners, and Superintendent Washburn, and also to the city papers for publication.

A TRIANGULAR STABBING AFFRAY.

Vernon Park Becomes the Battle Ground of Thieves—Three of them Stab at Each Other with Knives—One of the Parties Believed to be Fatally Wounded.

The brief reign of peace which the city has been enjoying was disturbed yesterday afternoon by a desperate and bloody quarrel between three West Side ruffians. The affray occurred in Vernon Park, which is the daily and nightly haunt of all the housebreakers and highwaymen who have their homes in the Twelfth-street police precinct. But little is known of it by the authorities, as two of the parties have thus far managed to escape arrest, and the third is so near the point of death as to be unable, even if he felt so disposed, to give them any information. From what has been learned from persons living in the vicinity of the park, however, it appears that two roughs, whose names could not be given, became involved in a quarrel with each other, in the course of which the smaller of the two was severely beaten. After escaping from his assailant, which he succeeded in doing through the interference of some bystanders, he walked away a short distance, and there stood, as if inviting the other to renew the quarrel. The latter, nothing loth, ran after him, and was about to attack him again, when he cried out, "Keep away, Danny, or it will be worse for you," at the same time drawing a knife. Danny, as he called him, also produced a knife, and dealt him a blow with it, but whether he injured him or not cannot be definitely stated. He succeeded, however, in making him drop his knife, and run away. At the moment Ed. Sheridan, who resides at No. 375 West Taylor street, rushed up, and, seizing the weapon which had been thrown away, said to Danny, "If stabbing is your game you can have all you want of it." But, before he could suit the action to the word, Danny stabbed him in the head over the right eye, sending the blade so far through the skull that it was impossible for him to draw it out. Sheridan fell senseless, and Danny disappeared through the trees, leaving his knife sticking in his victim's forehead. Several persons ran to the wounded young man's assistance, and endeavored to draw the weapon out of the wound; but they were unable to accomplish it, so deep had the blade penetrated the bone. He was carried to his father's residence, a few blocks from the park, where he so far recovered consciousness as to be able to articulate feebly and incoherently. Every effort was used to induce him to divulge the full name of the person who had stabbed him, but he made no reply. The knife was removed with great difficulty by the surgeons who were called to attend him. They fear that the blade penetrated the brain, and that recovery is impossible. Sergeant O'Donnell, with his usual energy, started after Danny and the other ruffian as soon as he learned the particulars of the case, and was still searching for them at an early hour this morning, with fair chances of success. Sheridan is only 20 years of age, and bears a very bad reputation in the neighborhood where he resides.

VAUDEVILLE AND PANTONIME.

OLOBE THEATRE.

Messrs. Wood & Sinn are unremitting in their efforts to please the public. Their company is kept at its usual size, and has, perhaps, as much ability as when they first commenced operations at the Globe. The ballet, which we have often mentioned as well trained, and possessing the average amount of female charms, is up to the old standard. It appears twice nightly under the able direction of Signor Costa, Gardner, the Dutch comedian, Charley Benedict, Master Barney, Will Carleton, and Miss Gilmer can be all seen nightly in their various specialties. The lady is something of an improvement upon the balladists of previous weeks. The recent arrivals are Americus, the child violinist, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young, who give a musical dialogue, and Pete Lee, a rather clever tambourinist. The business continues good, thin houses being the exception. The "one hundred stars" who were announced will appear in rapid succession.

NIXON'S.

Nixon's Amphitheatre is filled nightly to see the "Great German Legendary Pantomime," "Flick and Flock," which is produced with a very good company, and considerable regard to scenic effect. The Fantaloon is W. H. Bartholomew, a clever actor, and the clown is "Maffit," who is well known in Chicago as skilful in his line of business. The pantomime is one not often presented of late years, and the comic situations, if not absolutely new, have a freshness of interpretation that makes them acceptable to those who visit the place. Many things are introduced as subsidiary to the main plot, such as tumbling, dancing, hat-spinning, juggling, &c., &c., which add to the queer effect. The company, if not the best that ever travelled, is good, and thoroughly familiar with what it is expected to accomplish. The amphitheatre seems to retain its hold upon the public, and draws the largest audiences in the city. It is well warmed, and the programme being attractive, it is not an undesirable place to pass a leisure hour when one desires light amusement.

THE LIBERTY LEAGUERS.

Secret Session Yesterday—A Pledged Ticket To Be Put in the Field.

The "Personal Liberty League" held a meeting yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, in a room over Haas & Powell's livery stable, No. 23 West Madison street, for the purpose of considering the propriety of making such nominations for the State Senate, House of Representatives, and for Aldermen, as were known to be "sound on the goose," and in favor of tippling on Sundays. About thirty members were present, most of whom belonged to the *Staats Zeitung* clique, who were under the able leadership of such well-known patriots as "Buffalo" Miller and Billy Golson. Reporters and outsiders were strictly excluded, and the proceedings can therefore not be given in full. Michael Kealey, the President of the League, was in the chair, and Thomas Nolan acted as Secretary. Mr. Kealey said that the meeting was called for the purpose of selecting men as candidates for the State Senate, House of Representatives, and Council as were known to be opposed to the Liquor law. In making up such a ticket they should not consider a man's party affiliation, but whether he was "all right" on that question. Both the Liberal and Republican tickets were then overhauled, and, after a stormy session of three hours' duration, it was decided to present the names selected to a general meeting to be held next Monday morning at Orpheus Hall, corner West Lake and Peoria streets, for confirmation. A majority of those selected as nominees are said to be Republicans, and J. J. McGrath is one of them.

JACKSONVILLE.

Important Sale of Blooded Cattle—Burning of a Saw-Mill.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

JACKSONVILLE, Ill., Oct. 23.—John H. Spears & Sons' great auction sale of short-horn cattle took place to-day on their beautiful farm near the village of Tallula, in Menard County, Ill. The wide-spread reputation of the Messrs. Spears as eminently successful breeders of Durham cattle brought together a great number of prominent live stock men from Illinois, Missouri, Iowa, Kentucky, and other States. Sixty-one head of short-horns were sold,—47 cows and heifers and 14 bulls. The following is a statement of the animals sold, prices paid and names of purchasers: "Crown Prince of Oakland," 2 years old, sold to A. K. Riggin, of Petersburg, Ill., for $1,475; "Belle of St. Louis," 4 years old, sold to G. W. Garrard, Marstinsburgh, Mo., for $400; "Belle of Keokuk," 2 years old, sold to B. Brown, Berlin, Ill., for $305; "Berlin," sixth, sold to G. W. Garrard, of Martinsburgh, Mo., for $395; "Rose," fourth, 3 years old, sold to G. W. McCroskey, Wilton Junction, Iowa, for $450; "Rose," fifth, 1 year old, sold to H. M. & W. P. Sisson, Galesburg, Ill., for $360; fifth, "Duke of Forest Hill," 1 year old sold to G. W. McCroskey, Wilton Junction, for $1,000; "Rose," second, three years old, sold to G. L. Burroughs, Carrollton, Ill., for $400; "Orphan Boy," seven months old, sold to H. M. & W. P. Sisson, of Galesburg, Ill., for $310; "Prince, of Forest Hill," six months old, sold to Jesse Young, Monroe, Iowa, for $510; "Lucy Twentieth," one year old, sold to G. W. McCroskey, of Iowa, for $300; "Winsome," one year old, sold to Edward Tice, of Sangamon County, Ill., for $380; "Miss Nellie," three years old, sold to G. L. Burroughs, Carrollton, Ill., for $300; "Bride," fifteenth, four years old, sold to J. C. Hamilton, Jacksonville, Ill., for $300; "Bride," nineteenth, 2 years old, sold to General Charles A. Lippincott, Chandlersville, Ill., for $300; "Bride, of Thorndale," 5 months old, sold to J. C. Hamilton, of Jacksonville, for $300; "Rose," third, 2 years old, sold to J. C. Hamilton, of Jacksonville, for $535; "Geneva," 1 year old, sold to E. Black, Adrian, Lee County, Ill., for $460; "Climer," 1 year old, sold to Henry Regan, Pidcility, Ill., for $300; "Musketeer," 1 year old, sold to J. C. Simpson, Talitula, Ill., for $255; "Victor," 1 year old, sold to T. C. Waterman, Savannah, Mo., for $205. St. Lawrence," 1 year old, sold to Timothy Dey, Winchester, Iowa, for $460; "Florentine," twenty-fourth, 1 year old, sold to D. Brown, Berlin, Ill., for $295; "Princess," second, 1 year old, sold to Mr. Waterman, Savannah, Mo., for $295; "Ida," 1 year old, sold to A. K. Riggin, Petersburg, Ill., for $250; "Hegira," 1 year old, sold to Charles Green, Talitula, Ill., for $230; "Indian Princess," fourteenth, 2 years old, sold to George Hundshath, Jacksonville, Ill., for $250; "Lady Seaham," 2 years old, sold to D. B. Gillam, Alton, Ill., for $205; "Beauty," six months old, sold to J. C. Hamilton, Jacksonville, Ill., for $260; "Alice," fourth, nine months, sold to Chas. Green, Talitula, Ill., for $280; "Kentucky," seven months old, sold to W. C. Owen, Ashland, Ill., for $235; "Belinda," seventh, 1 year old, sold to G. W. Garrard for $280. The balance of the short-horns sold brought prices ranging from $105 to $200 each. The average prices for the 47 head sold reached within a small fraction of $300, or about $18,000 in the aggregate.

Henry Glyener's saw-mill, located near Waverly, in this County, and 15,000 or 20,000 feet of lumber, were destroyed by fire last night. Loss $2,500 to $3,000. No insurance. Fire accidental.

TIES AND RAILS.

Inspection of the Northern Pacific Railway Matters in Iowa and Minnesota.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 23.—Messrs. L. H. Kauffmann, A. C. Sands, Thomas Underwood, and W. L. Bridgeman, Commissioners appointed to inspect the work done on the Northern Pacific Railroad, returned to this city to-day. They went West as far as Silver Springs, Dakota, near the end track. No formal report has been agreed upon, each Commissioner having taken notes with the intention of submitting his impressions to the authorities at Washington. The party speak in high terms and commendation of some parts of the country traversed, and characterized the work on the road as fair.

A large excursion party from Sioux City, to celebrate the opening of the St. Paul & Sioux City Railroad, arrived here last night, and were met by St. Paul Chamber of Commerce this morning at their hotel. Suitable addresses were made, after which the visitors were driven in carriages to all places of interest about the city.

George W. Cass, President of the Northern Pacific, and a party of the Directors, who have been inspecting the road at Puget Sound, will arrive here to-night and confer with the Government Commissioners. They will proceed to inspect the line from Duluth to the terminus.

DUBUQUE, Iowa, Oct. 23.—The request of the Illinois Central Railroad for right of way to the location of the proposed new depot was granted last night by the City Council, on condition that the Company build a wagon bridge over the river, pledge themselves not to discriminate any longer in freight tariffs against Dubuque, and fill up and macadamize 4th streets crossed by the track. The Company has not yet accepted.

The ironing of the road between Winona and LaCrescent will commence immediately, to connect with the C., D. & M. Railroad, now nearly completed to the latter place. This will give an unbroken line from here to St. Paul.

Contracts for the construction of the Dubuque & Monroe Road, between Monroe and Shullsburgh, are let. The parties to the contract are the Lafayette & Mississippi Railway and the Milwaukee & St. Paul. The papers are now in New York awaiting their signatures.

But eight miles remain to complete of the Chicago, Dubuque & Minnesota Road to LaCrescent, Minn., which will be finished in a few days.

TITUSVILLE, Pa., Oct. 23.—A special to the *Courier* from Meadville announces the resignations of H. F. Switzer, Manager; C. W. Bradley, Superintendant, and C. W. Winslow, Auditor of the Atlantic & Great Western Railway, and the appointments of J. D. Barton, Superintendant; J. L. Dunbar, Division Superintendant, and Carl Tupper, Auditor, to fill the vacancies.

DUBUQUE.

Barn Burned—Fatal Accidents—A Big Lead Strike.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

DUBUQUE, Iowa, Oct. 23.—S. T. Oviatt's large barn, containing 75 tons cured hay, and 400 bushels grain, was burned early this morning. Loss, $20,000; insurance $7,000.

T. Holstenson, a Norwegian, residing near Clayton, Iowa, was so badly mangled by a threshing machine, that he died in a few hours.

At Forestton, Ill., John Lienay, a wiper, was engaged cleaning the ash pan of his engine when another engine backed up striking the one he was under, shoving it about five rods, and mangling and mutilating him in such a manner that he died in a few moments.

A New York Company, lead-mining in the Williams diggings, near Fairplay, Wis., have been fortunate. At the bottom of the main shaft, workmen penetrated nine feet through solid mineral, which appears to form the bottom of a cave a quarter of a mile in length, which might have been termed a lake, as it had sufficient depth of water to admit the use of a skiff in exploring. This water has been nearly all pumped out, developing some rich mineral, many chunks weighing six to eight hundred pounds. Already 300,000 pounds have been taken out, and much more is ready to be taken. The supply, it is thought, will prove inexhaustible.

ARBITRATION.

The Trouble Between the C. & P. R. R. and Mr. Lyman Amicably Adjusted.

The Mayor was called upon yesterday to act as arbitrator between the Chicago & Pacific Railroad Company and William Lyman, a property-owner on Bloomingdale road, between Coventry street and Elston road. The Company desired to lay their track in front of Lyman's property, having already laid rails on either side of it, but he objected until he was paid $5,000 for his land. The Company offered him $4,500, but he refused to accept it. After about an hour's talk he was induced to accept $4,750, being permitted to retain possession of the land and houses on it for one year. An agreement was drawn up and duly signed, and the first instalment of the money—$1,500—was paid. Nothing now interferes with the construction of the road, and the gap of 150 feet, which has been so long in dispute, will be covered in a day or two, and the construction trains be able to approach the supply depot of the Company.

New Educational Enterprise.

TOLEDO, O., Oct. 23.—A corporation, to be known as "The Toledo University of Arts and Trades," has been organized, with Hon. Richard Mott as President, to which Jesup W. Scott, of this city, has deeded in trust 160 acres of land near the city line, which is to be used as the site of the proposed institution, and the grounds not needed for that purpose to be platted and leased at low rental for the benefit of the University. The land is now worth $8,000, and must rapidly increase in value. Wm. H. Raymond, of this city has endowed the Raymond Professorship of Mines and Minerals in this institution, and has already provided for an expenditure of $20,000 toward that object. The movement is regarded with much favor and appreciation by our citizens, who will, no doubt, contribute liberally to its success.

Ocean Marine News.

QUEBEC, Oct. 23.—The schooner Heart is a total loss, with a cargo of herring oil, on the coast of Labrador. The crew were saved.

SOUTHAMPTON, Oct. 23.—The steamship Donau has arrived.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—The steamer Frisia, from Hamburg, has arrived.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 23.—The